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WEST LIBERTY TO BE IN BLUEGRASS LOOP THIS YEAR

Baseball Fans To Meet Friday Here To Organize Club

West Liberty will be a member of the Bluegrass Baseball League again this year, and a meeting of fans and prospective players has been called for Friday night here in the Nickell and Walter law office to make plans for organizing the team and financing it.

Bluegrass League officials will meet in Lancaster Sunday to arrange the schedule and rules. The local team will be represented by Manager Clarence Black, Elmer Anderson, Harold Hammond and Merle Nickell. The league has three divisions—an Eastern, Western and Central circuit. West Liberty will be in the Eastern circuit along with seven other teams.

Twelve Sunday games will be played by each team and the season will be ended by a play-off series for the circuit championship.

Sponsors of the team here say they will use no paid players this year but will rely exclusively on local players. Everyone in the county is invited to try out for the team. Regular practice sessions will be held at least once a week.

For the meeting Friday night at 7 o'clock here, everyone interested in promoting the team is invited to attend, fans as well as players.

The club needs at least $500 this year to pay off old debts and to pay the initial league dues and the $100 forfeit deposit. Carl Elam, former manager and first baseman of the team, has volunteered to visit each business place to solicit financial backing for the team.

With 13 players returning and at least three newcomers agreeing to play, the team this year should be more formidable than last year.

Returning players are Freddie Blair, Merle Nickell, Jerry Franklin, Richie Stacy, Harold Hammond, Paul Haney, Sonny Adkins, Glenn Stanley, Elmer Litteral, George Fannin, Robert Lee Blair, Buster Pelfrey and Hershel Blanton.

Agreeing to return this year are Donald Williams who has been attending Middle Tennessee College, Walter Brown who has returned from the Army, and Butch Hamilton now back from Ohio.

In Ol' Morgan

WHITESBURG POLICE JUDGE IS FORMER MORGAN CO. MAN

Among the many men who have left Morgan and made good is John Gose, son of Mrs. Emma Blair Gose of West Liberty and the late John Mason Gose of Lick Fork.

Mr. Gose was elected Police Judge at Whitesburg last November for a four year term. He had previously served as deputy sheriff of Letcher county for 10 years, jailer 4 years and chief of police at Whitesburg.

Mr. Gose was married to Nannie Quicksall who died five years later. They had two daughters. He later married Gracie Cornette of Letcher county who died about two months ago. They have eight children. He has lived in Whitesburg 23 years. While visiting his mother and friends in West Liberty Sunday he said the greatest changes during that time have been the highways and farms. Years ago he drove a team and hauled goods in a wagon from Index to Pomp and rode a mule when he came to town. He attended school at Wrigley and some of his teachers were Mrs. Lula Arnett, Bill Walsh, Bernard E. Whitt and Ernest Lewis.

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HOW LICKING WAS NAMED

The Licking river has a name of beautiful significance. "Licking"

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EASTER SEALS

HELP CRIPPLED CHILDREN

26 FFA Chapters To Take Part In District Meeting at West Liberty

More than 500 Future Farmers from 26 chapters in 17 nearby counties will compete in the annual FFA district contests on Saturday, April 3, at Morgan County high school in West Liberty.

The high-school farmers will be competing in music, speaking, parliamentary procedure, and in farming achievement contests.

District winners in each of the 25 contests will advance to the state contests at the Kentucky FFA Association's 25th-Anniversary convention in Louisville, on June 14-16.

All entries will be rated excellent, good, or fair. Each chapter will be rated either Gold Emblem, Silver Emblem, Bronze Emblem, or Participation. A chapter's rating will be based on the number of entries it has and the classification of its entries.

D. L. Estes, vocatoinal-agriculture teacher at Morgan County high, announces the following individual entries in the contests:

Public Speaking, Thornton Hill
Impromptu Speaking, James Brown
Corn, George Fannin
Tobacco, Thornton Hill
Beef Cattle, Billy Walton
Hay, George Fannin
Poultry, Albert Wingo
Solo, Linville Ball.

The Morgan County high chapter will also enter contests in chapter meeting and chapter music.



RAY GOODPASTER, JR.

RAY GOODPASTER KILLED IN WRECK

Ray Goodpaster, 24, of West Liberty was instantly killed Saturday night when he lost control of his car near Mariba and it plunged over a bank pinning him beneath it. In the car at the time were Ray Havens and Mervil Allen. Havens was taken to Frenchburg Hospital for treatment. Allen escaped with minor injuries.

Funeral was held Wednesday at the Grassy Lick church with Rev. Russell Brown and Rev. Harlen Murphy officiating. Burial was in Grassy Lick cemetery, West Liberty Funeral Home in charge.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Goodpaster, West Liberty; two sisters, Patty Sue at home and Mrs. Stanley Ray of Mt. Sterling; three brothers, Pfc. Robert Goodpaster, North Carolina, Pvt. Dolph Goodpaster in Colorado, and Randall at home.

At the time of his death he was employed by Halsey-Trayner garage in West Liberty. He was a veteran of Korean War and spent 16 months overseas.

RAYMOND LYKINS PASSES SUDDENLY

Raymond Lykins, 47, farmer of Glendale, Ohio, died Tuesday morning at 2:30 in an Ironton hospital shortly after suffering a heart attack at his home.

The body was returned to Morgan county Thursday and taken to the home of a brother, Charles Lykins at Malone. Funeral rites will be conducted Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Walnut Grove church at Stacy Fork with Rev. Wick Kennard and Rev. Robie Ferguson officiating, and interment will be made there under direction of the Phillips Funeral Home of Ironton and the West Liberty Funeral Home.

Mr. Lykins, a brother of Sheriff Aaron Lykins, was born June 30, 1906 in Morgan county, a son of D. B. and Frances Ann Vance Lykins, and was reared in the county. He moved to a farm near Ironton in 1947.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Tennie Lykins and three children, Juanita, Eugene and Phyllis, all at home, and seven brothers, Aaron, the present sheriff of Morgan county; Charles, Isaac, Roger and Curtis, all of Malone, Robert of Middletown, Ohio, and Bishop of Columbus, Ohio.

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Tobacco Insurance Protection Against Loss of Investment

The Federal Crop Insurance Program for tobacco protects the farmer sufficiently that he will not lose his investment in rental value, seed, labor and fertilizer. Morgan county is one of the counties in Kentucky in which the program is offered, noted County Agent Charlie Dixon. The program is administered by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Office (P.M.A.).

April has been designated as tobacco insurance month by the agency. Any tobacco grower may participate in the program. All the tobacco in which he has an interest must be included in the contract. The cost of the insurance is $8.00 per acre. Guaranteed returns under the program are $267.00 per acre. This means a guaranteed income of this amount if the farmer meets the required reasonable management practices. Disaster might well result in total loss unless the crop is protected by insurance.

Payment is made within 30 days of determination of a total loss or at the end of the season if a partial loss is incurred so that the returns are less than $267.00 per acre.

Details of the program may be had by contacting one of the county A.S.C. committeemen, Dillard Murphy, Ezel; Edgar Holbrook, Blairs Mills; and H. L. Day, Lenox, or the county A.S.C. office. Interested farmers who want to guarantee their income to be at least $267.00 per acre should contact one of these people or the county office during April, said Mr. Dixon.

INEZ MENTOR IS GUEST SPEAKER

Russell Williamson, principal of Inez high school and chief mentor of Inez's 1954 state-champion basketball team, was principal speaker at the West Liberty Kiwanis club dinner meeting here Wednesday evening when the club honored the Morgan County high school basketball team and their coach Glenn Stanley.

Atty. W. Major Gardner was program leader and introduced Williamson.

Williamson, in an interesting talk, not only praised the Inez team for ability and sportsmanship but also praised basketball fans throughout the mountains for their enthusiastic backing of his team at the state tournament. He said the Inez boys deserved to win, relating that they observed training rules religiously, were very cooperative and receptive to advice, and that they wanted to win. It was the second time Inez had won the state title, the other time in 1941, under Williamson also.

Williamson said of course he was proud his team won the state tourney but that he was nearly as proud they won the Louisville Invitational tournament earlier, by defeating Flaget, Male and St. Xavier. This was the first year Inez was invited to the Louisville Invitational and their winning was a near sensation there.

Williamson praison the Morgan County high team and said Inez owed Salyersville a vote of thanks for eliminating them before they got to Inez.

Coach Stanley introduced each member of the Morgan County team during the banquet in their honor.

Revival To Start 11th At Ezel Baptist Chapel

Rev. John Adkins, pastor of the Sandy Hook Baptist church, will be the evangelist in the week's revival meeting at the new Ezel Baptist Chapel at Ezel commencing Sunday, April 11. Services will be held each evening through the 18th at 7 o'clock. Rev. Gordon Duncan of West Liberty will lead the song service, and Mrs. John Adkins will be pianist. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.



NAMED FOR 2nd TERM

Carl Stewart, superintendent of Morgan county schools since July 1, 1950, was re-elected for a second four-year term by the county board of education last Friday.

HYDRO-FRAX NOT USED FOR WELL

Hydro-frax treatment of the new oil well on Lunce Fork near Cannel City was not carried out this week when experts decided the new process would not work on the well so late after drilling.

The well was drilled in more than a month ago by George Finch and associates on lease of Custer Jones. It is 2,095 feet deep, and oil rose to within 200 feet of the top after drillers had penetrated the pay strata 12 feet.

Experts here to hydro-frax the well by forcing silica particles under pressure into the pay strata, said the process can not always be used after the drill has passed below the cap rock since sufficient pressure cannot be built up unless the casing is solidly cemented to the cap rock. Owners of the well are now considering shooting it with 40 to 60 quarts of nitroglycerine.

Meanwhile, a rig has been moved on the Bruce Rose farm on the Day branch to drill a well on the Crate Rice lease, and Jerry Cooper has moved his rig on the Edw. Holbrook lease nearby. Also, J. J. Hatcher and associates of Huntington have let a contract to drill a well on the Myrtle Hatten farm adjoining the northwest side of Pilot Knob in the same area.

Henry Wells Promoted By Highway Department

Henry Wells of West Liberty has been promoted by the State Highway Department to become assistant resident area engineer of the Owsley-Lee county area with offices in Booneville. Mr. Wells will report to the 10th highway district office in Jackson Monday to be assigned to his duties. His family will remain in West Liberty for the present. Mr. Wells has been instrument man on the highway engineering crew here the past 4½ years.

There are two classes of people in the world—the righteous and the unrighteous; the righteous do the classifying.

In Ohio county, where 179 braided rugs are being made, 21 of them are room size.

CARL STEWART RE-ELECTED BY SCHOOL BOARD

At a regular meeting of the Morgan County Board of Education here on March 25th, Carl Stewart was unanimously re-elected as superintendent of Morgan county schools for a four-year term. Supt. Stewart was first elected to the school position in February 1950 and the term will expire July 1, 1954.

Stewart is a graduate of Morehead State College and will receive his Master's degree next year. Previous to his election as superintendent he had served as attendance supervisor in Morgan county and earlier as principal of Cannel City high school for seven years.

During his present administration the indebtedness of $90,000 has been reduced to a balance of $43,000, which is bonds for the construction of buildings. The board has operated each year on a cash basis and has not incurred any indebtedness over the budget each year.

Mr. Stewart is married to the former Miriam Byrd, daughter of Mrs. Henry Byrd of Malone and the late Mr. Byrd, and a granddaughter of the late Lee Barker who was a teacher and Morgan county tax commissioner. The couple has one daughter, Irma Carol, 13, a freshman in Morgan County high school.

Members of the Morgan county board are W. G. Ratliff, West Liberty; Clarence Smith, Jeptha; Clay Collins, Blaze; Paul Lacy, Stacy Fork; Andrew Cecil, Murphy Fork.

FARM STORE HAS A HOUSEWARMING

Over 300 farmers, their wives and other interested persons attended the housewarming and spring sale at the warehouse of Morgan Farmers Store, Southern States Cooperative Service Agency in West Liberty Friday, Mar. 26, agency manager, Curtis Elliott has reported.

Highlights of the event included a Supply Hunt, to familiarize patrons and members with a greatly expanded line of supplies now being stocked at the new and larger location on the Court House Square. Refreshments were served and nine prizes were awarded at thirty minute intervals, beginning at 10:00 a.m. and ending at 2:00 p.m.

Fertilizer, seed and farm supply representatives were on hand to answer questions for patrons and members throughout the day.

Southern States District Manager Tommy Combs of Morehead assisted with the program.

Members of the local board and committee assisting and appearing on the program included: Mrs. E. A. Cecil, Murphy Fork, Kash Bach, Malone, Talmadge Nickell, Payton, Noah P. Greear, Greear, and Estill Steele, Malone.

GARDEN CLUB WILL MEET

The West Liberty Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Herbert Wells Friday afternoon, April 9, with Mrs. Wells and Mrs. C. K. Stacy hostesses and in charge of the program.

1000 See 4-H Talent Show Here On Friday

Noted Editor To Speak To State Businessmen



Erwin Canham

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 30—Erwin Canham, editor of the Christian Science Monitor, political analyst and radio commentator, will address the dinner session of the Congress of Kentucky Business here on April 8. The day-long conclave, annual meeting of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, will convene in Louisville's Kentucky Hotel.

Kentucky's six most progressive communities, winners of the KCC popular Community Development Contest, will be awarded cash prizes at the luncheon session, according to Harper Gatton, executive vice president of the Kentucky Chamber. He said the contest judges completed their two-day evaluation of 53 entry presentations Thursday night and winners of first, second and third place in the contest's two divisions will not be announced until the annual meeting luncheon session.

Gatton estimated that more than 1,000 Kentuckians will attend this year.

K. C. OLDFIELD DIES AT AGE 85

K. C. Oldfield, 85, died at his home at Mize March 29. He was the son of Joe and Esther Oldfield. Survivors are his widow Flora Oldfields; sons, Bill, John and Charles of Mize, James of of Mason, Ohio, and Ray of Middletown, O.; and the following daughters: Mrs. Moody Stamper of Mt. Sterling, Mrs. Gladys Havens, Grassy Creek.

Funeral was held at the Old Grassy church March 30, with Rev. Russell Brown and Rev. Joe Blevins officiating. Burial was in the Little cemetery near Mize. Potter Funeral Home made the arrangements.

FLOWER SHOW IS PLANNED

The Garden Club will sponsor a Spring Flower Show in the City Restaurant dining room as soon as the weather permits. Details will be announced later.

Crockett Couple Crowned King & Queen At Event

More than a thousand people attended the 4-H Talent Show at the high school audtiorium in West Liberty Friday night. W. G. Ratliff, president of the Council and also president of the district organization, said that: "We are thrilled to see the great crowd of young people and their parents so deeply interested in their children and in promotion of 4-H club work."

Ova Ellis Boggs, former assistant county agent of Morgan and now agent in Floyd county, was master of ceremonies and made a recording for use over the radio station at Prestonsburg. He was a clever spokesman and kept the many entries moving with vigor.

Some of those from other counties taking part and adding to the interest of the program were Prichard King, county agent in Magoffin, who presented a group of nine club members for music, and Sue Conley who gave a laughable reading on "Mary Had a Little Lamb."

County Agent Claude Christian and Mrs. Christian from Johnson county had an entry of four girls who gave a musical number. Mr. Christian also served his apprenticeship as county agent in Morgan and married a Blairs Mills girl.

Mr. Boggs, county agent of Floyd, presented Reba Salyers in a piano solo, and the three Martin Sisters from Goose Creek in Johnson in a musical number.

Boyd Wheeler, state club leader, attended and assisted in the show.

King and Queen From Crockett

The Crockett 4-H club has both the 4-H King and Queen for 1954. The new king is Marshall Beculhimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Beculhimer of Dingus. Miss Kay Williams, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Williams and Mr. Williams of Moon, is the new queen.

The very attractive pair were crowned by the 1953 king and queen, Jimmie Wells of Licking River and Ruth Ann Hill of Relief. Miss Williams was dressed in a yellow net formal that was very distinguishing. Gifts were presented the royal couple from the Farmers Store, Oscar McKenzie & Son, West Liberty Cut-Rate, Home Supply, West Liberty Drug Store and West Liberty 5 and 10 Cent Store.

Peddlar Gap Wins Amateur Contest

Miss Pearlie Wright of Silver Hill, member of the Peddlar Gap and Coffee Creek 4-H Club, won the amateur contest by doing a pantomime of "The Old Rugged Cross" an Easter theme, while the song was sung in the background. She wore a white gown and performed under subdued blue overhead lights. Her long black hair helped the effect and her acting was beautiful. The judges, Prichard King of Magoffin county, and Miss Betty Jo Click, home demonstration agent of Johnson county, gave the pantomime a score of 99 out of a possible 100 points.

Miss Helen Carol Stafford, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stafford of West Liberty, was second in the amateur contest. She did a beautiful job of singing, with Rosalind Emrick accompanying her at the piano.

A mixed quartet from Ezel placed third. They played and sang a popular folk tune.

Other entrants, all of whom did a fine and entertaining performance, were an Ezel 4-H sextet, a duet by Mary Jane and Betty Ann Vest of Ezel, a duet by A. M. Debusk and Bob James of Ezel, a solo by Clifton Conley of Coffee Creek, solos by Donna Sue Whitt of Wrigley, Linda Lou Vie of Wrigley, a piano solo by Paula Hamilton of Lacy Creek, a solo by Linville Ball of Crockett who played a guitar and sang, a dramatized song by Arvilla and Jimmie Wells of Licking River and a duet by Betty Gibson and Drema Jo Davis of West Liberty.

Many Entertaining Acts

The opening fun fest session, put on by the 4-H clubs with assistance from 4-H club members from Magoffin, Floyd and Johnson counties, provided a full program of entertaining acts.

They are listed below:

Ezel—Piano and trumpet rendition of "God of Our Fathers."

Magoffin County—Song by 10 members.

Lacy Creek—Wedding skit by four members.

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Dr. C. C. Smith
CHIROPRACTOR
Gullett Building
West Liberty, Ky.

Proper Plant-Bed Management To Secure Early, Healthy Plants Is Greatest Need

Proper management of tobacco plant beds to insure plenty of strong, healthy plants to set the entire crop early was called the tobacco growers' greatest problem by County Agent Charlie Dixon this week.

Plants set reasonably early mature faster and are higher in quality and lower in nicotine, said Mr. Dixon. If plenty of healthy plants with good roots are available to set the whole crop at one time, the crop will be more uniform, less labor will be required and the crop will suffer less from bad weather and improper fertilization, he pointed out. Mr. Dixon offered the following suggestions for producing good plants:

Prevent Wildfire

Wildfire is the most serious tobacco disease in Kentucky. Prevention is the key to its control. Plant beds should be treated with bluestone and lime as soon as they begin to come up. Use three pounds of powdered bluestone, four pounds of fresh hydrated lime and 50 gallons of water to each 100x9 foot bed. Just sprinkle the fresh mixture through the canvas, wetting the side poles and a strip three feet wide around the bed where the operator walks. Repeat the treatment again in 10 days. If the bed is weeded, treat again as soon as the weeding is completed to kill germs that were pulled up by the weed roots. Remove any trees that shade the bed.

Flea Beetle Control Outlined

Flea beetles sometimes destroy a bed. The best material for their control is DDT. If the bed is treated at the right time with bluestone-lime, one-half pound of 50% wettable DDT should be added to the second bluestone-lime treatment solution. If the first bluestone-lime application is delayed, use the DDT the first time. The DDT can be used in a wet spray, using two level tablespoonfuls of 50% wettable DDT per gallon of water. Five percent or ten percent DDT dust can be dusted on the plants. In any case, a second application of DDT should be made one or two days before the plants are removed from the bed to be set in order to protect them in the field.

What to Do for Worms

Worm damage, grubworms and earthworms, was quite extensive in the county last year. Recommended action is to dust the bed with two pounds of one percent parathion dust for each 100x9 foot bed. This material is very poisonous. The operator should avoid breathing the dust and should wash thoroughly immediately after using it. Care should be used not to spill it on the clothing. A garden duster is recommended for applying the dust.

Kill the Ground Moles

Ground moles sometimes cause severe damage to plant beds. The best control is as follows: After the moles make a tunnel they will travel in it. Cyanide dust is very effective if used in the tunnels. It quickly turns to a deadly poisonous gas that will move along the tunnels and kill the moles. It can be bought in one pound cans. Use it very carefully. Uncover the tunnel and place one teaspoonful of the cyanide in the tunnel. Recover the opening quickly with dirt. Do this about every eight feet along the tunnels.

Using Extra Nitrogen

If a bed has been properly fertilized, the use of extra nitrogen is discouraged except under certain conditions. If the plants get a good start growing and are quite late or if diseases break out in the bed or in beds close by, the plants may be rushed with extra nitrogen. Five pounds of nitrate of soda or three pounds of ammonium nitrate is the suggested amount for each 100x9 foot bed. Mix the material in at least 25 gallons of water and sprinkle it on the plants. Wash it off the plants immediately with at least 50 gallons of water. Failure to do this has caused severe damage to many beds by burning the plants. Extra nitrogen causes fast growth and tender plants with less root system. That is why it is discouraged.

News from Correspondents

WOODSBEND—

FARM ANTIQUES SOLD SATURDAY

WOODSBEND, Ky.—(By Eve May)—The Mary Jane Leach farm sold here Saturday at public auction. Buford Leach was highest bidder. Antique collectors were interested when a coverlet more than 100 years old belonging to Barbara Gibson, was sold to Mrs. Maxwell Gunnell of Dayton, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Adams of Ohio are moving back to their farm on Straight Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vest of Dayton, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gibson of Ezel were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Gibson.

The L. P. May home was the setting for a Minit-Maid Waterless Cooker supper Friday evening. Mrs. Finley Gose purchased $60 worth of this kitchenware.

Nova Roberson has gone to Middletown, Ohio to find employment.

Ollie Engle and Sharmah Elaine and Janis and Evelyn Gose, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. May, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Gunnell of Ohio were here this week end.

FLORRESS
(By Nora Easterling)

March 30—Mrs. James B. Conley, age 84, of Matthew visited her grandson, James C. Conley and family Sunday. Other visitors in her honor, and to be with the Conleys were Mr. and Mrs. Walter (Jack) Conley and children of Matthew, Mrs. Walter Johnson and children of Cottle, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Easterling and Mrs. U. G. Easterling. James C. had both his grandmothers and his only two uncles with him. Mrs. Conley said she served dinner to 17 people Sunday and she loved to cook for a crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Williams and Leova were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Day and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riggsby of Cow Branch.

Church services were held Sunday and Sunday night by Revs. J. K. Bolin, Chas. Frederick, Arlie Nickell and Walter Easterling. Large crowds attended. Ollie Prater and Mr. and Mrs. C. Little of White Oak, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Frederick of Cottle, Mrs. Sewell Hamilton and daughter Paula of Lower Florress attended church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Lebanon, O. visited last week with Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Nickell and Mr. and Mrs. Earnie Bolin, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Oney and Rev. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell.

Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Nickell went to Lebanon, O. Friday to be with their baby son, Hershel Nickell, on his birthday. Mrs. Nickell quilted a wedding ring quilt to take to Hershel. It was very beautiful, since she quilted it by hand.

T. H. Johnson is reported better. Sunday he was able to visit his granddaughter, Mrs. Stanley Haney.

Jerry Haney has learned to ride his little pony real well. Since Jerry is just past 6 years and his pony so small, it is a cute sight to see him ride. Jerry shares his pony with other little boys sometimes.

Your writer visited with her aged parents, Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson of Cow Branch, Saturday and Saturday night.

Rev. and Mrs. Smith Elam attended church at Rockhouse on Sunday.

Rev. Walter Johnson attended church at Cow Branch Sunday.

Candy Johnson has chicken pox. That's the first case of chicken pox I have heard of for some time.

Archie Williams of Dayton, O. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams last week end.

BUSKIRK
(By Mrs. H. B. Chaney)

March 29—A birthday party was given Saturday, March 27, at 1 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Charles Walter in honor of Paul Andrew Walter on his fifth birthday. The following attended: Christine and Anita Walter, Tommy, Chester and Margaret Walter, Sharon and Pat Prater, Phyllis, Charlotte and Doris Chaney, Esther and Francis Castle, Avonelle Walter, Mrs. Elmo Walter, Mrs. Stella Nickell, Mrs. H. M. Walter and his great grandmother, Mrs. Louisa Brown, Mrs. Kelly Prater and the honoree. Refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake were served. The beautiful sunshine made it possible for games to be played outside. Sending gifts but not attending were William Walter and Velene Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gevedon and Mrs. Ervin Conley were in Mt. Sterling Saturday for medical aid and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gevedon and Laura Trimble, Bill Cantrill went to Paintsville Sunday.

Mrs. James Weddington is in a hospital in Cincinnati, O.

Green Taylor who has been ill for some time is no better.

Floyd Brown and family have moved from the tenant house of John Cundiff to Ervin Conley's tenant house.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Earl Wilson of Mize who has been in the Murray Hospital at West Liberty and St. Joseph at Lexington is improving.

Want Ads are small in size, big in value—results will amaze you—try them!

MATTHEW
(By Pauline Jenkins)

Several from this community attended a household shower Saturday given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Normal Lee Montgomery. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Goble Jenkins and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ova Jenkins and children, Mitchell and Katherine Coffee, Mrs. Garland Jenkins and children, Roby Gullett, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McGuire and girls of Florress and Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Osborne of Middletown, O., Mrs. Kernie Helton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jenkins of Springfield, Ohio, Mrs. Dola Montgomery and children, Mrs. Woodford Jenkins, Void Blanton and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jenkins. They received many nice and useful gifts. A number of people sent gifts that could not attend. Refreshments were enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Ida McGuire is still on the Sick list. Dr. Murray was in to see her Saturday night. Her guests over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Mosley and children of Lexington of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Ranzy McGuire and children of Middletown, Ohio and Miss Dora Nickell of Malone. Sunday evening visitors were Mrs. Rosa Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Hall of Morrow, O., Mr. and Mrs. Ova Jenkins and children and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown and children and Mr. and Mrs. Finley Kennard and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Workman of Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kennard have moved into their new house. Their daughter, Mrs. Homer Cooper spent the last week with them.

A large crowd attended church this week at Tarkiln, conducted by the regular Baptists.

Mrs. Rennie Brown is still seriously ill in the Lexington hospital.

LOGVILLE
(By Ruby Elam)

March 29—Billy Reed of West Liberty has drilled a well for Carl Prater and is now drilling for Claude Howard.

Johnie Howard of Dayton, O., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Howard a few days.

Mrs. Lon Williams was injured when her husband went over a bank in his jeep. She is in the Paintsville hospital.

Among those from a distance who were here over the week end attending church and viewing the new road were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hopkins and family of Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kennard and family and Rev. and Mrs. Dudley Williams of Portsmouth, Rev. and Mrs. Wick Kennard, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Franklin and Clark Montgomery of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Goebel Ratliff, Rev. and Mrs. Proctor Gullett of West Liberty, Rev. and Mrs. Robie Ferguson of Relief and others whose names we did not get.

Ben Kennard has brought his wife to their new home recently built. She has been living with her daughter, Mrs. Homer Cooper of Lebanon, O. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper spent the week end with them. Church services were held at the Kennard home Saturday night.

Mrs. J. D. Elam and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Montgomery had business in West Liberty Saturday.

ON HONOR ROLL

Ruby Dean Holbrook, daughter of Herbert T. Holbrook of Morgan county, is on the list of honor students recently released at Eastern Kentucky State College for the fall semester. Miss Holbrook is a graduate of the Wolfe County high school.

S. S. ATTENDANCE

Church of God	155
Christian	143
Methodist	99
Baptist	89
Mordicai	18
Methodist Mission	20

REDWINE—

WHITT-ROSS VOWS SAID

REDWINE, Ky., March 29—Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Whitt of Redwine announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Evelyn Janet Whitt to Roger Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross of Grassy Creek. They were married March 5 in a quiet ceremony at Jeffersonville, Ind. For the wedding the bride wore a pink dress with brown accessories. Both attend the University of Kentucky.

Bennie and Ruby Perry of Cincinnati, O. visited their mother and family, Mrs. Tena Perry, the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Adkins of Monroe, O. and John and Junior Howard were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luke and Virgil Adkins the past week end.

The young people charivaried Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ross Saturday night at the home of her parents. Candy was made, games were played and a good time had by all.

Several young people of this place attended Sunday school at the Church of God at West Liberty Sunday.

DINGUS
(By R. H. Ferguson)

March 29—W. M. Gardner and Virgil Lewis of West Liberty had business here last Saturday.

J. E. Hamilton has returned from Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Pack of Piqua, Ohio were the week end guests of Mr. Pack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Pack.

Elder Floyd Wright is working in Ohio.

Drilling on Earl Bradley's place has been suspended for two weeks.

Homer Conley is operating a grader on the Burk's fork road and says the road will be completed in about thirty days.

Elder Willie Bentley of West Liberty, Elder and Mrs. Ben Bolen and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bolen of Gritterville, James Dulin of Moon, Henry Bolen of Elamton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cantrell of Silver Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith of Jeptha, Mrs. Auty Cassidy of Yocum and Mrs. Susie Vanover of Terryville were here Sunday as a tribute of respect to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bolen.

The revival at Martha church at Jeptha closed Sunday night. There were ten or twelve conversions, with three revivals. Fourteen conversions reported. A baptismal service will follow the morning service the second Sunday in April.

Uncle A. M. Bolen, 90, died unexpectedly last Saturday at his home on Lick Branch, after a lingering illness. His body was taken to Potter Funeral Home at West Liberty and embalmed and returned Sunday. He will be interred on White Oak branch under direction of Potter Funeral Home of West Liberty.

Mrs. Floyd Gambill is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright and Ted Coffee of Fairborn, Ohio, were Saturday night guests of Elder and Mrs. D. W. Beculhimer.

Elders Ray Fannin and Clyde Perry of Fairborn, Ohio, while holding the revival at Jeptha, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Beculhimer.

Yours Truly was in West Liberty Monday consulting a doctor.

DENNISTON FARMER HURT WHEN TRACTOR UPSETS

Charlie Cox, young farmer of Denniston, was seriously injured March 18 when the tractor he was operating in the Pomeroyton community overturned. He sustained a broken leg and back. He is engaged in the well drilling business with his father, Smith Cox. He is at Good Samaritan where his condition was reported as much improved.

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New in the title role of "Young Widder Brown," WLW-NBC's popular, long-running daytime serial drama is Wendy Drew Miss Drew is the second actress to play the role in the series which is now in its 17th year on the air (4:30 p. m., EST).

CANEY-STACY FORK HOMEMAKERS CLUB

Mrs. Haden Ratliff and daughter Billie Jean were hostesses to the Caney-Stacy Fork Homemakers March 13, with Mrs. Ratliff presiding in the absence of the president.

Mrs. Laura Reed was in charge of the devotional. Song, "Rock of Ages" was sung. Mrs. Ratliff gave the thought of the month.

Mrs. Herman Arnett gave the secretary's report. Members answered the roll call by naming tourist spots in Kentucky.

Charlie Dixon gave a lesson on gardening, emphasizing the importance of growing our own gardens.

Miss Ann Stevens, home agent, became ill and had to leave early. The lesson on belts and proper fitting of a dress sleeve was taught by Mrs. Laura Reed, Mrs. Wonna Barker and Mrs. Herman Arnett.

Each club had one new member, Mrs. Astor Barker in the Caney club and Geraldine Arnett in the Stacy Fork club.

Refreshments were served to the following guests and members: Mrs. Walter Barker, Mrs. Laura Reed, Mrs. Carl Sebastian, Mrs. Everett Morris, Mrs. Aster Barker, Mrs. Herman Arnett, Mrs. Hager Arnett, Mrs. Ada Henry, Mrs. Cletis Morris, Mrs. Paul Lacy, Mrs. Buford Lykins, Geraldine and Gary Arnett, Charlie Dixon, Mrs. Ratliff and Billie Jean.

MOON
(By Venna Sparks)

March 30—Revival is still in progress at New Salem, being conducted by Gobel Sparks of Fairborn, O., Dock Rowland and Arnold Ison of Moon. The special singers Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Ferguson of Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Gobel Sparks and daughter Carolyn Kay of Fairborn, O. are spending this week with his parents at Moon and attending the revival.

Miss Zesalee Rowland, Venna and Nola Sparks of Moon attended church at Crockett Sunday.

Junior Skaggs who has been employed at Columbus, Ohio, is home visiting his mother, Mrs. Nora Skaggs.

CANEY—

SMITH ADAMS OF CANEY DIES

CANEY, Ky., March 29—(By Astor Barker)—Smith Adams died at his home Thursday afternoon, March 25, after a short illness. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lizzie Adams; four sons, James, Grover and Henry of Caney and Woodrow of West Virginia; one daughter, Mrs. Ben Blevins of Caney. Funeral was conducted at the Redeemed Baptist church by Rev. Wardie Craft. Burial was in the Haney cemetery at Stacy Fork with Potter Funeral Home in charge. Greenville Lodge No. 655 F. & A.M. conducted rites at the graveside with Loarn Ferguson acting Master.

Reports have reached here from Willard, Ohio that Lee Lykins, a former resident of this place, was killed by a train one day last week. His father Dock Lykins was killed at the same place by a train a few years ago.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Snowden Johnston at the Gullett-Spencer Clinic, a daughter.

A grass and brush fire burned over several acres of the Roy and Curt Benton farm and other adjoining woodland Friday.

Pvt. Elbert Spencer of Fort Knox spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Morris and children of Chicago, Ill. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ren Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenie Blankenship and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blankenship of Shiloh, Ohio were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Oney.

Eugene Patrick of Chicago, Ill. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchel Watson of Chicago visited Mr. and Mrs. Minor Watson and Crayton Adams over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Denval Williams of Middletown, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams over the week end.

George Prater of Dayton, Ohio and Herman Prater of White Oak were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Everett Morris Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Minnie Lou Napier and Mrs. Dessel Long of Indiana were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wardie Craft.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hammond of Salt Lick were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Astor Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon Whitaker of Lockland, Ohio were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barker.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Morris were Mr. and Mrs. Freelin Lykins, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Meadows and Mrs. Junie Lykins of Bethanna and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crase and children of Burg.

Mrs. Inas Cochran was a Saturday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams.

Clifton Clemmons of Cannel City was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coffee.

Don't forget the play—"OUT IN THE STREET" at Cannel City school Friday, April 2 at 7 p.m. given by the P.T.A.

Farmers in Simpson county will test burley and one-sucker tobaccos in cooperation with the UK Experiment Station.



TRANSYLVANIA COLLEGE SPEAKERS to appear during the College's 175th anniversary convocation April 23, 24 and 25, are shown, from left to right: Dr. Charles Allen Thomas, president of the Monsanto Chemical Company; Dr. Raymond F. McLain, director of the Commission on Higher Education of the National Council of Churches of Christ; Dr. Colgate Darden, president of the University of Virginia and French Ambassador Henri Bonnet.

NICKELL
(By Mrs. Grace Haney)

March 22—Mrs. Rosa Barker and daughter Mrs. Ben Elam attended the wedding, of their granddaughter and niece, Treva Haney to B. B. Lykins recently.

Clay Ferguson of Middletown, Ohio was a guest of relatives through the week end.

Mrs. Sylvester Raney was an all-day guest of her father, W. H. Haney and family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clay of Jeffersonville, Mrs. Cordia Haney, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Lykins of Middletown, Ohio were guests Friday night of the Ben and Edward Elam families.

Canning Fugett of Lower Grassy was in this section recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haney were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Raney on Byrd Branch.

Mrs. Rondall Steele and baby have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Floyd Steele.

Sarah, Joe and Frankie D. Peyton of Greear came home from school with their uncle, M. C. Haney Monday afternoon and spent the night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Russell and children Evelyn, Leon and Joseph Charles of Byrd Branch of Grassy, Mr. and Mrs. Marquis Gevedon and children Charolett Dean, Phyllis, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gevedon and children Windell and Dwane of Buskirk were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Gevedon at Nickell.

Mrs. Victor Elam, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Maines and daughter and Eunice Barker were in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Esther Barker and Eunice were at Lexington Tuesday to visit their husband and father, John Barker and reports he is improving.

REVIVAL AT COURT HOUSE

Rev. Glen McAlister, pastor of the First Church of God in West Liberty, will preach at the court house Saturday night and Sunday morning, April 3 and 4. Services begin Saturday night at 7 o'clock and Sunday morning at 11. Everyone welcome.

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MURPHY FORK
(By Miss Nancy Hurst)

March 22—Mrs. J. M. Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hurt and Miss Nancy Hurst were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hurt.

C. T. Phillips who is ill is improving.

Fred Hurt and Miss Loretta Hurt were visiting relatives in Franklin, Ohio for the week end.

Vernie Cecil, Mrs. J. M. Cecil and Miss Nancy Hurst were in West Liberty shopping Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Lewis and daughter of Lexington visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lewis for the week end.

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If you are ever in need of subject matter for poetry, go to the Bible. It is a never-failing source of poetry and subjects for poems. Sometimes you may have to search for awhile to find what you want. At other times, almost immediately you will read a line, a phrase or a verse that will put the machinery of imagination in operation; and soon a poem is on its way to birth. Many times what you find will provide the meter as well as the subject of your poem.

Consider the rhythm of this bit of scripture, for example:

"Great peace have they which love Thy law,
And nothing shall offend them."

Would it not be rather easy to weave a poem around these words? Of take this unsurpassed definition of faith:

"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for,
The evidence of things not seen."

What doors of thought may be opened by a key like that!

As a more definite example of how the Bible may be used as a source of subjects for poetry, here is a poem by Arthur C. Johnson of Cottle, Kentucky.

HE RULES THE STORMS

When Jesus fed five thousand on the fishes and the bread,
He called to His disciples and thus to them He said,
"Get in the ship that's on the sea and bravely launch away,
And I shall go to yonder mount and tarry there to pray."

The night grew dark and stormy and raging winds roar;
And Jesus watched the tossing ship while standing on the shore.

About the fourth watch of the night, amid the raging storm,
Walking the sea, He came to them to shelter them from harm.

Now all was well. The port was reached about the break of day,
For wave and wind His will obeyed; the storm he drove away.

"What manner of a man is this!" they cried in one accord,
And worshipped Him, confessing Him to be the Christ and Lord.

He walks no more on Galilee. His little boat is gone.
But greater waves His will obey; greater, His breaking dawn.

When seas of trouble round us roar and doubt and fear assail,
He seems to cry, "Fear not, it's I; my Spirit will prevail."

On the whole, this is a good poem, well-expressed. However, here are a few points that might make it still better. Intensives like "did roar" are to be avoided, and use of the same adjective twice, "raging winds," "raging storm," detracts from the poem's effectiveness. Inversions as, "For wave and wind His will obeyed; the storms He drove away," are frequently frowned upon by editors. The line would sound better in the natural order, "For wave and wind obeyed His will; He drove the storm away." The third line of the third stanza might be better if it were changed to read, "What manner of man is this!" This eliminates the unwanted "a" in the quotation.

PARAGON
(By Irea Staton)

March 2—Mrs. Gillard Law is ill and has taken treatment at a Lexington hospital. She will go back for a checkup next week.

Mrs. Cecil Gregory is seriously ill and in one of the hospitals at Lexington.

Perry Haney is getting along pretty well at this writing.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Staton and son were Mr. and Mrs. David Pettit and family of Bangor and Mrs. James Brown and daughter Leah.

The reporter's little son has been seriously ill but is improving some now.

The reporter has returned after visiting her father who is ill.

ATTENTION VETERANS

Roy M. Cain, field contact representative of the Kentucky Ex-Service's Men's Board, will be in West Liberty Monday, April 5 to assist veterans and their dependents in filing claims for benefits that may be due them as a result of military service.

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OBITUARY

BOLEN

A. M. Bolen of Dingus, son of Preston and Nancy Trimble Bolen, deceased, was born March 18, 1864, departed this life March 27, 1954, age 90 years and 18 days.

He was united in marriage about 65 years ago to Miss Elizabeth Dulen, who still survives at the age of 80 years.

To this union were born 12 children: Mance, deceased; Mrs. Catherine Cantrell of West Virginia; John Ed, Sr., deceased; Mrs. Auty Cassidy, Yocum; Joe of Indiana; Pleas, deceased; Henry, Gordon Fork; Ora M., Dingus; Mrs. Bessie Skaggs, Columbus, Ohio; John Ed, Jr., Dingus; Mrs. Verla Howard, Dingus, and Mrs. Susie Vanover, Terryville. He is also survived by two sisters: Mrs. Margarett Ann Cantrell of Silver Hill and Mrs. Allie Bolen of Van Lear; a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Uncle Ambrose was converted and baptized by Elders D. W. Beculhimer and R. H. Ferguson and was received in the Martha church at Jeptha. He lived a devoted Christian life until suddenly called to his heavenly home last Saturday. He had been an invalid for the past three years.

Funeral rites were conducted at Union church Tuesday at 11 a.m. and interment was in Stover Smith cemetery under direction of Potter Funeral Home of West Liberty. Officiating ministers included Elders Ben Bolen, D. W. Beculhimer and R. H. Ferguson.

The Wayne county homemakers reading program was brought to the attention of the public by a book and magazine exhibit in the window of the Peoples State Bank.

CARTER
(By Mrs. Bernard Dixon)

March 29—Mr. and Mrs. Jake Parks were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ode Ferguson. Mrs. Parks held church services at Bonny Sunday night.

A baptismal service was held Sunday afternoon in Grassy at the bridge near Carter school by Rev. Carl Simpkins. Mrs. Corbett Vancleve and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nipper were baptized.

Mrs. Volney McGuire has been visiting in Middletown, O. this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stacy of Cincinnati spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dennis-ton, Jr. of Middletown, O. have been visiting the Dennistons here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vest of Dayton were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lardieri and son Dicky were in West Liberty Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Drexel Vest spent Sunday afternoon with Volney McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lardieri and Dicky had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dixon.

Mrs. James R. McGuire of Middletown, O., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Henry.

BUYS 3 HOLSTEINS

Doye Perkins of Murphy Fork, a student in the veterans on-the-farm training classes in Morgan, last week purchased three purebred Holstein cows from Roy Holbrook of Fallsburg, Lawrence county. Vo-Ag teacher Paul Williams accompanied him to Lawrence county to pick out the stock. Perkins plans to establish a Grade-A dairy soon.

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SOIL TESTS ARE EXCEEDING '54

Soils tested in the new Morgan county soil testing laboratory have already exceeded all of last year, according to County Agent Charlie Dixon. Up to March 25, 175 samples had been tested this year as compared to 156 samples in all of 1953.

Samples have come from all kinds of crop land but approximately 80 percent of the samples have come from land that will be used for tobacco this year. Farmers are interested in saving money on their fertilizer bills and at the same time supplying every fertilizer need for highest yields and quality of the crop to be grown. Every field is treated as a separate unit. The soil test shows the sourness of the soil and the amount of phosphorus and potassium avaiable in the soil. The amount of nitrogen, phosphate and potash that will be added by the cover crop, manure and tobacco stalks that will be used is figured by Mr. Dixon. By subtracting the total of all these from the needs of the crop to be grown, Mr. Dixon figures the amount of each that must be supplied in fertilizer. The fertilizer analysis that will supply the needs the cheapest, considering the work of application, is calculated by Mr. Dixon and proper kind and amount per acre is recommended by him. Below are two examples of cases:

W. H. Williams, Elamton, used 1,200 pounds of 5-10-10, 100 pounds of ammonium nitrate, 15 tons of manure and 1½ tons of manure and ¾ ton of tobacco stalks per acre. Mr. Dixon suggested that he use 300 pounds of 20% phosphate and 100 pounds of 50% sulfate of potash per acre this year for tobacco in this field. This fertilizer bill will be about $31.00 per acre less this year than last year. The quality of the tobacco will be better than if he used more fertilizer, particularly lime or nitrogen.

Ellis Cassity of Blairs Mills used a ton of 5-10-16 fertilizer plus 200 pounds ammonium nitrate, 1,500 pounds of tobacco stalks and 13 tons of manure per acre on his tobacco last year. A soil test this year showed the soil does not need lime. It has 135 pounds of available phosphorus and is very high in potash. He has a poor wheat crop on the land and plans to use 5 tons of manure per acre this year. Mr. Dixon recommended that he use 500 pounds of 5-10-15 sulfate plus 200 pounds ammonium nitrate per acre. His fertilizer this year will cost him approximately $45.00 less per acre than if he were to use the same fertilizer he used last year. The yield and quality of his crop should be excellent if the weatherman cooperates.

The soil test costs 75c per sample. You be the judge as to whether or not it pays. Take your sample very carefully and bring it to Mr. Dixon's office. If you do not know how to properly take the sample, ask a neighbor who does or see Mr. Dixon.

BLAZE
(By Mrs. Lenvil Lewis)

March 28—Mr. and Mrs. Lilbern Bowman and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hunt were in Indiana over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenvil C. Lewis spent Saturday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mervil Lewis and family of Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haney of Detroit, Michigan have been visiting their parents here. Mrs. Haney remained for a visit.

Mrs. Tina Lewis and son who have been visiting in Ohio have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenvil Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cassity and daughter and Luther Hunt were calling Friday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cassity of Wrigley.

Dickie Hunt who is employed at Mansfield is visiting here the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lewis and family of Yocum spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mervil Lewis of R 3 Morehead.

Ray Haney of Detroit spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Haney of Morehead.

Ivil Lewis of Morehead spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lenvil Lewis.

Was sorry to hear of the death of the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blankenship.

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The family of Margaret Lynn Ruth wish to express their thanks to those who phoned and wired messages of condolences in their bereavement and to those who sent flowers.

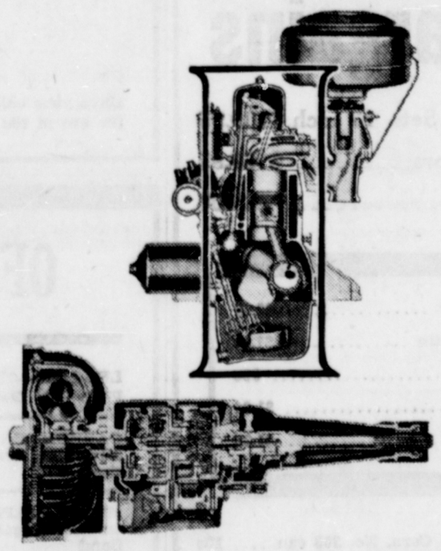
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The 1954 campaign closes April 18. By that time, more than 1,200 Easter Seal affiliates in each of the forty-eight states and abroad hope to have concluded a successful Easter Seal campaign.

In past years the Easter Seal campaign, in behalf of crippled children and adults has appealed to most Americans. This is only natural, and the citizens of this community should once again purchase Easter Seals. While there are a number of charitable drives at this time of year, they have not been so numerous that the more fortunate of us cannot spare a few dollars for the benefit of those not so fortunate, and not fortunate enough to be able to take proper steps to remedy their condition.

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TEACHER-RECOGNITION WEEK

Recognition of our teachers is long overdue. When Governor Lawrence Wetherby proclaimed a Teacher Recognition Week, he touched on a spot vital to all of us. For who is there who cannot recall some schoolteacher whose inspiration helped him over bumps and bruises—both the physical and mental kind—whose faith in him was reason enough to spend a bit more time on math or English—especially English—and whose influence bent him in the way he should go.

We have known a great many teachers. Some were better than others. Sticking with us are fond memories of teachers who were more heart-wise than book-wise. It is the teacher who embodies formal education with sympathetic understanding that we like to recognize.

We know a teacher who practiced the theory that having faith in a student and giving him encouragement would help him succeed. "Any young person," the teacher said, "is ambitious and wants to be somebody. In early years he may want to be a cowboy more than anything else in the world—and he will want to be the world's best cowboy. Later he may get his heart entangled with airplanes and have the wish to be the best pilot in the world. Still later in his formative years when a teacher can help, he may seriously decide to become a doctor, lawyer, or farmer. Always, there is the wish to be the best in his field."

This teacher spent a great deal of time studying students. When the teacher saw a creative spark in one, the spark was fanned to a flame. When a shy mountain boy went to the teacher one day and said he wanted to write a book, "do you think I can write a book?" the teacher replied, "My boy, I KNOW you can write a book. Now sit down and get started on it." He wrote that book, and he kept on writing books. This teacher saw different abilities in different students and never failed to encourage each one to a greater measure of success, be it as a doctor, farmer or as a housekeeper.

Another teacher we know taught school the first time as an emergency teacher after only one and a half years college training and in a one-room rural school. The building had no windows and no doors. Two "men teachers" had found it necessary to leave rather hastily. This young teacher began her first day of school by clacking together a piece of tin and the door off the pot-bellied stove. But she was determined. There were bad days. The students gave her a box once with a snake in it; another time she was gifted with a can of bees—but at each new gift she showed no alarm, no anger, no astonishment. The strange gifts stopped.

"These students," said this teacher, "had been bred on sensationalism and attached importance to wrong things. It took some hard work to get them to use their energy constructively—but they finally did." At the end of this teacher's term, the school had been repaired and painted, recreation equipment had been provided, the students had won various prizes at the school fair and in contests. The parents were present for the last day of school, not to "run off" this teacher but to ask her back the next year.

Teachers such as these two—and they are legion—should be meritoriously recognized as the embodiment of all good teachers, those who teach not only from the book but also from the heart.

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THE LATEST IN BRAIN-WASHING

Dr. Joost A. M. Meerloo, presently a United States citizen but formerly a member of the Dutch underground, recently testified at the hearing of Col. Frank H. Schwable, a much-decorated Marine hero. The case involves a signed confession on germ warfare.

Dr. Meerloo survived the tortures of Nazi interrogators in the World War II period and told the Schwable hearing the Russians have perfected Nazi techniques, and are even better at this game than were the Hitlerites.

Merloo says Russian interrogators have borrowed from the Russian scientist Pavlov his methods and results with dogs. Pavlov taught dogs to do such things as water at the mouth at the sound of a bell, and so forth. In other words, it was a conditioned reflex system.

Meerloo says Russian interrogators today actually set out to murder the brain, and that no man alive can withstand such brain-washing. He said such tactics, combined with ill-treatment, a lack of food and clothing, and rigid physical punishment could force a prisoner to do almost anything his captors wished. He added that the only escape from the brain-washing system was death.

Perhaps his testimony, in this connection, sheds some light on what happened to several thousand Americans who have never been accounted for. It shows clearly what the civilized people of the world are up against in combatting Communism. The United States and other decent governments of the world should make it clear in an international declaration that destruction of prisoners' brains through ruthless and inhumane treatment is a war crime, punishable by international courts.

Few crimes against humanity are more revolting than the crime of brain-washing and this country should make its intentions to come to an account with such criminals in all countries, clear to all the world.

OBITUARY

PATTON

Riley S. Patton, son of G. W. and Rena M. Patton, was born June 13, 1895 at Matthew, and departed this life March 22, 1954 in Chicago, Ill., age 58 years, 9 months and 9 days.

He is survived by his mother, Rena M. Patton of West Liberty, and the following brothers and sisters: Myrtle Jordon of Springfield, Ohio; John M. Patton, Detroit, Mich.; Della Williams, West Liberty; Laura McKenzie, Akron, Ohio; Farmer Patton, Akron, O.; Ida Dennis, West Liberty.

Two brothers, Allen and James B. Patton, preceded him in death.

Riley was a veteran of World War I, having served in the Medical Corps. He had been a resident of Chicago the past 35 years. His pleasing disposition made him a host of friends both in Morgan county and Chicago. He had been very sick for several months and of late had been attending the Moody Bible Institute.

He will be greatly missed by his loved ones and many friends.

GOODPASTER

Ray Goodpaster, Jr., son of Ray and Susie Haney Goodpaster of West Liberty, was born on Phills Branch March 12, 1930, departed this life March 27, 1954, at the age of 24 years and 15 days.

He was a lovable, sociable and industrious young man. He began working as a wholesale truck driver in 1949 and worked until he entered the Army in 1951. He served in Korea for 15 months. While there he won a Korean Service Medal, a United Nations Medal, three Bronze Stars and was sergeant awhile before coming home. He was still kept in the Reserve Corps. His rank, title and medals of honor show his dutiful and trustworthy service for his country and why we should hold him in high esteem.

Later he became a mechanic in the Trayner and Halsey Garage, where he gave excellent service with untiring energy.

Survivors are his parents; two sisters, Mrs. Stanley Ray of Mt. Sterling and Patty Sue at home; three brothers, Robert Allen at Ft. Bragg, N. C., Dolph at Camp Carson, Colo., Randall at home; his grandmothers, Mrs. Dorothy Cole of Jeffersonville and Mrs. Emma Goodpaster, West Liberty.

The large gathering in the home and funeral showed his high esteem among his many friends, aunts, uncles and his fiancee, Miss Virginia Martin.

There is a sad vacancy in the
family room,
Death has reaped today, a
flower in full bloom.

Funeral was held Wednesday, March 31 at 10 a.m. at the Grassy Lick Baptist church with Rev. Harlen Murphy and Rev. Russell Brown, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Grassy Lick cemetery under direction of West Liberty Funeral Home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to everyone who helped and kindness in the funeral of our son and brother, Riley Patton and to all who sent flowers, to the ministers, the choir, and to Potter Funeral Home—we extend our deepest appreciation.—The Patton Family.

POTTER FUNERAL HOME AMBULANCE CALLS

March 27—Mrs. Belle Johnson and baby from Gullett-Spencer Clinic to her home at Caney.

March 30—Willie Vance from home at Pomp to Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, and return.

March 31—Mrs. Kenny Brown from St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, to her home at Matthew.

Want Ads are small in size, big in value—results will amaze you—try them!



Pvt. Jack M. Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Howard of Lenox, has completed his basic training with the 3rd Armored Division at Fort Knox and went to Massachusetts this week for a new assignmen.

TO ATTEND MUSIC MEET

A group of music students of the Ezel school will participate in the annual regional music festival at Morehead College April 9-10. Keith Huffman, Morehead music instructor, will direct the event.

FISHING - - NEWS - -

Bernard Whitt, Fishing Editor

Mamie Day writes from their fish camp at Hidden Hollow Lake near Altha, Fla., that a man who fished a few hours in their lake came out with 50 beauties. Another man came out with 22. "Nice sounding fish story, isn't it?" she wrote, "but I saw these. Ha! Also saw a bass in the lake 2 feet long."

Clete writes that a man was at their lake from Alabama and got one on his hook and had his pardner take a picture of it before it got away. Clete said the picture weighed 3 pounds. Must have been the same fish that Earl May got and snapped a picture of, only his picture weighed 10 pounds. Guess the fish got scared out of 7 pounds.

TURKEY SHOOT SET

A turkey shoot is scheduled to be held Sunday, April 4, at Ditony Ridge school house sponsored by Ray Blair. It will start at 9 a.m. Cash and gun prizes will be awarded in rifle and pistol shooting contests.

Twenty members of 4-H clubs in McCracken county are studying the care of lights and other electrical equipment.

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LICKING VALLEY COURIER

• IN OL' MORGAN

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denotes a country diversified with springs and meadows, according to Kerr's Kentucky History.

The river at first was called Great Salt Lick Creek, and was so marked on the old maps by that name. Dr. Thomas Walker, who visited a part of the Licking in 1750, however, had called it Frederick's River, but this name did not last.

Because of numerous springs and licks along this river and the beauty and fertility of the lands and the thousands of buffalos and deer and elk which were seen pasturing on the cane and broad bottoms, the early settlers added the old Saxon "ing," meaning a pasture or meadow, usually one lying low near a river, to the word "Lick," thus forming this appropriate name.

Springs are abundant along the Licking even to this day. The stretch of river above West Liberty is fed by scores of springs trat bubble up from the bottom of the stream. During the long drouth last summer and fall, the stretch above Twenty-Two Hollow still contained considerable water from bubbling springs in the bottom of the river, and this supply kept West Liberty with sufficient water while many other towns experienced a dangerous shortage of water.

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SPRING AND FISHING

At the approach of Spring we see the grass begin to lay a carpet over the bare fields of winter. Birds fly about and begin to sing their love notes. The robin hops briskly on the lawn with a sly glance and a twinkle in his eye.

Life stirs anew and our hopes are re-created, like cosmos out of chaos. We are willing to forgive and forget. We are almost ready to ask why the jailer does not open his prison doors; the judge adjourn his court; the preacher dismiss his congregation and—all go fishing.

DONAHUE
(By Mrs. Harold McKinney)

March 29—James Donahue who is in a hospital in Mansfield, O., is improving and will be able to come home soon.

Mrs. Cora Donahue was in Morehead Tuesday to see the doctor. She has been ill but is feeling better now. She was accompanied by a daughter Gladys.

A turkey dinner was served Saturday in honor of Mrs. Cora Donahue and her grandson Elbert McKinney's birthdays. Enjoying the dinner were Mrs. Ray Schuppig, Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKinney and family, Miss Gladys Donahue, and Kenneth Walton.

Miss Gladys Donahue spent Friday night with Nell Cantrell at West Liberty and attended the 4-H Club talent show.

Harold McKinney visited his father, Chester McKinney, Bangor, Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown of Bangor were Mr. and Mrs. Crystal Donahue and family.

Mrs. Ray Schuppig of Cincinnati visited over the week end with her mother, Mrs. Cora Donahue.

Coolidge Combs visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKinney.

Sammie Morris who has been employed in Ohio returned recently to help his father, Cletis Morris, farm.

DENNISTON FARMER HURT WHEN TRACTOR UPSETS

Charlie Cox, young farmer of Denniston, was seriously injured March 18 when the tractor he was operating in the Pomeroyton community overturned. He sustained a broken leg and back. He is engaged in the well drilling business with his father, Smith Cox. He is at Good Samaritan where his condition was reported as much improved.

YOCUM
(By Cassie Lewis)

March 29—Uncle Willie Lewis of Yocum was taken Tuesday of last week to Frenchburg hospital for blood transfusions and treatments. His condition remains critical.

Mr. and Mrs. Warnie Howard spent the week end here with Mrs. Ella Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sexton and children of Blaze were Friday night guests of Math Lewis and family here.

Mrs. Elmer Lewis spent Tuesday night of last week with Mrs. Mary Engle and Mrs. Louraine Hurley and son of West Liberty. Mrs. Hurley went to Lexington Tuesday for medical checkup and her doctor told her she was getting along as well as could be expected since her recent operation.

Mrs. Suda Lewis of Yocum spent one day last week with Mrs. Mary Engle and Mrs. Louraine Hurley.

Earl Lewis, son of the late Joe Tom Lewis, visited last week with Jim Oakley and family and Bessie Oakley and family.

Gladie Oakley who has been in V.A. Hospital, Huntington, with a broken leg, was dismissed and returned to Jim Oakley's Saturday.

Learns of Father's Passing

Mrs. Autie Cassity received the sad news Saturday of her father's passing.

Jim Utterback Dies

Mrs. Leslie Morgan of Yocum received the sad news of the death of her father, Jim Utterback, Saturday, March 27.

Mrs. Elmer Lewis visited on Tuesday with her cousin, Mrs. Rainey Combs of Salyersville who is a patient in the West Liberty Hospital.

Mrs. Willie Lewis has been visiting with her husband most every day since he entered the Frenchburg hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Oakley visited Mr. Lewis Sunday.

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Society -- Personals

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Miss Nelva Fannin of Little Sandy visited Mrs. Lonnie Smith Sunday. Nelva and Bonny Ruth attended the show at Sandy Hook Sunday evening.

Bill Weddington made a business trip to Morehead Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dehart of Fairborn, O. visited Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Dehart of Wrigley recently. Clayton's mother is ill.

Mrs. Lonnie Smith and two daughters were Sunday guests of Billy Smith of Sandy Hook.

Walter Dehart has returned for a short visit. He is employed at Fairborn, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gevedon spent last week end at Cumberland Lake, fishing.

Mrs. Lou Arnett and Mrs. Dora Whiteaker returned last Thursday from Florida where they had spent the winter.

Mrs. Charles Stacy and Miss Mary Charles Stacy of Pineville were guests here Monday and Tuesday of Senator and Mrs. C. K. Stacy and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stacy.

Arthur Friend of Buena Visa was in West Liberty Saturday and subscribed for the Courier for his daughter, Miss Betty Lee Friend.

Miss Billie Jean Ratliff, Miss Lena Wray Haney, Miss Bonnie Ruth Lewis, Mrs. Avonelle Kinner, Mrs. Hayden Ratliff and Mrs. Lizzie Dunn of Mt. Sterling shopped Saturday in Lexington.

B. R. Nickell of Anchorage and Willie Sprigg of Louisville visited Mr. Nickell's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Cottle here a few days last week. Mr. Nickell is general manager of the Dean Tire Service in Louisville.

The marriage of Helena Gevedon to Willie J. Elam will be performed at the Grassy Lick Baptist church Sunday, April 18 at 2:30 p.m. instead of at the home as previously announced.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Carver were Elbert Bentley and daughter Elaine of Fairborn, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Claypool, Dr. Sidney Robby and wife all of Louisville.

Jesse Carver who is employed at Louisville has been visiting with his family the past week.

Miss Deloris Smith has returned from a week's visit in Middletown, O. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Smith of Middletown, who spent the week end at Twentysix.

Miss Deloris Smith called Tuesday on Mrs. Ailen Hyden in Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Oley Callahan and son of Middletown recently visited Mrs. Callahan's mother, Mrs. Jesse Adams, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Drexel Elam of Richmond visited Mr. Elam's aunt, Mrs. Jesse Adams here last week end.

Dr. Charles Stacy of Pineville spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stacy.

Airman 1-C and Mrs. Lynn Nickell and son, Billy Lynn, of Tampa, Florida arrived Tuesday of last week to spend a few weeks here with their parents, Atty. and Mrs. J. Blaine Nickell and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blair. Airman Nickell will return to Fort Dill, Florida April 20 preparatory to going to Guam.

Thornton Hill, Earl May, Jr. and Freddie Blair were visitors on the campus of Eastern State College, Richmond, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood Elam and Susie of Morehead spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Elam.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova O. Haney and daughters Joyce and Nancy Webb of Hodgenville came Saturday and spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

Atty. Lynn B. Wells and Mrs. Wells are attending the State Bar Association in Louisville this week.

Coiza Helton and Will Reed of Neal Valley attended the funeral of Smith Adams at Caney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Taulbee and two daughters of Breathitt county were Sunday guests here of his sister, Mrs. Roy Tyler and family.

Dave Lykins of Ottway, Ohio, was the guest here last Wednesday night of his niece, Mrs. Roy Tyler and family, on his way back to Ohio. Mr. Lykins is 87 years of age and was born and reared at Caney.

Kermit Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Day of West Liberty and Altha, Fla., has arrived in Nurnburg, Germany, where he is stationed with the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Hassell Cantrill of Fairborn, Ohio, attended a birthday dinner for Martin Gilliam on Wells Hill Sunday. Mrs. Cantrill is our correspondent at Fairborn, Ohio.

Elliott county officers brought five men to West Liberty jail Saturday night, and Morgan officers arrested six others.

Tom Watkins was in town Saturday and much improved. Said he always listens to WMTC.

Rev. and Mrs. Hollie Conley of Ashland spent Monday and Tuesday in Morgan county visiting Mrs. Conley's sister, Mrs. Verna Lacy in West Liberty, and Rev. Conley's brothers, Arthur, Homer and Fuffrey of Elkfork. Enroute here they had visited Mrs. Conley's sister, Ruby Williams at Haldeman.

Atty. and Mrs. Arnold Tyler and three children of Frankfort spent the week end in West Liberty with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyler and other relatives.

Henry L. Stacy of West Liberty and Lawrence Kersey of Lenox, local Standard Oil Dealers, were in Ashland Monday to attend the Standard Oil Company's dinner meeting at the Henry Clay Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Carter of Frankfort spent the week end with relatives here.

Miss Ann F. Stevens, home demonstration agent, was Monday night guest of Miss Billie Jean Ratliff.

Mrs. Ella Blair and Mrs. Pauline Blair of West Liberty, accompanied by Mrs. David Davis of Sandy Hook and Mrs. Ollie Gilliam of Ashland, spent Tuesday afternoon in Owingsville with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Blair, who were moving to an apartment over their store there. Mr. and Mrs. Blair and daughter accompanied the group back to Sandy Hook where all were dinner guests of Mrs. Davis. Part of the group came on to West Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Blair returning to Owingsville later.

A Want Ad placed in the Courier will bring quick results



Crippled since birth, Kenneth Clements of Owensboro keeps up with school lessons while hospitalized in Louisville with help of a teacher made possible by Easter Seal funds. Kenneth, 17, is in a cast from his hips to his neck. The teacher is Mrs. Mary Lou Miller.

EASTER SEAL DRIVE BEGINS

The annual Easter Seal sale campaign in Morgan county has been started by mailing seals to scores of residents. They are urged to mail their check as soon as possible since the campaign ends April 18.

Morgan last year over-subscribed its quota, Mrs. C. K. Stacy, county Easter Seal Sale chairman, said.

The Easter Seal appeal is conducted by the Kentucky Society for Crippled Children to help finance treatment facilities for crippled children, hospitalization, and medical care, artificial limbs and braces, etc.

Last year Easter Seal contributions gave direct aid to 2,723 crippled children in Kentucky.

Midwife Meeting Is Held Here Tuesday

Dr. Lad R. Mezera, director of the Division of Maternal Child Health of the State Board of Health, Louisville, was at the Morgan County Health office on Tuesday to address the midwives of Morgan county.

Dr. Mezera explained the new law regarding license for midwives and the examination they would have to take to get a license.

Present for the meeting were Bess Witt, Supervisory Nurse of Louisa; Alice Dixon, health nurse of Elliott county; Mrs. Gardner, health nurse of Magoffin county; Straussie Adkins, clerk Elliott County Health Department; Helen Black, clerk of Morgan County health department; Delia Kinner, public health nurse, and the following midwives from Morgan and Elliott counties: Mrs. Clyde Fannin, Mrs. Jane Eldridge, Mrs. Loraine Gilliam, Mrs. Mollie Vancleve and Mrs. Evalina Mullins.

GROUND OBSERVER CORPS MEETING SET AT EZEL

W. E. Heagen announces that a meeting of all persons interested will be held in the high school gym at Ezel Friday, April 2 at 7:15 p.m. A United States Air Corps officer will be present to explain the program. Please attend.

$701 CONTRIBUTED TO THE RED CROSS

A total of $701 had been contributed to the annual Morgan county Red Cross Fund Drive up to Wednesday of this week, Andy Walter, fund drive chairman, reports.

The county-wide basketball tournament conducted in West Liberty gymnasium last week brought in $57.38. It was divided among the five participating schools who in turn contributed the entire amount ($11.47 each) to the Red Cross. The schools were Ezel, Cannel City, Wrigley, Crockett and West Liberty.

Contributions from businesses and professional people of West Liberty are listed hereunder:

Barber Shop	$1.00
W. L. Drug Store	5.00
West Liberty Hardware	5.00
The Clinic	35.00
Courier Publishing Co.	10.00
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Pack Chevrolet Co.	10.00
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Dr. L. Long	10.00
May Grocery	20.00
West Liberty Cut Rate	25.00
Halmar Ward	5.00
Stafford's Cleaners	10.00
Halsey & Trayner Garage	10.00
Rural Electric Corp.	10.00
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McKenzie Store	5.00
Chalmer Allen	1.00
Potter Funeral Home	10.00
Homer Elam Store	1.00
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Blair's Wholesale	15.00
Ky. Road & Oil Co.	15.00
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Austin Hill	1.00
Cole Hotel	5.00
W. S. Ratliff	5.00
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Bays Jewelry	2.00
Lura Davis	3.00
Morgan Motor	10.00
Pete Rose Grocery	2.00
Walter's IGA	25.00
Jane Walter	1.00
Lowell Nickell	1.00
Walter Thomas	1.00

BLAZE
(By Mattie Bishop)

March 29—Friends of Ollie Sargent will be glad to know he is out of the hospital and doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bishop, Jr. and children of Germantown, O. came for his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Bishop who have been visiting at Blaze the past month. Mr. and Mrs. E. Bishop were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Berman Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Luster Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crase of Fairborn, O. were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Mose Bishop. Mrs. Crase's mother, Icy Pettit, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Sargent and Mrs. Kenneth Lewis and little son of Dayton, O. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Lewis.

A wedding shower was given March 27 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Lewis at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Lewis. A large crowd attended. Many nice and useful gifts were received. Refreshments of potato salad, sandwiches, cake, jello, coffee and cool ade were served by Mrs. Wavelin Lewis and Mrs. Dennie Lewis, hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Luster Bishop and children visited Ollie Sargent Sunday evening.

Everyone is invited to attend church at Blaze Sunday night, April 4, conducted by Rev. E. R. Hemphill.

WRIGLEY 4-H CLUB

Wrigley 4-H club held its meeting March 19. Linda Lou Vie called the meeting to order and Alan Hemphill led the pledge to the flags. Donna Sue Whitt gave the roll call and read the minutes of the last meeting. Linda Vie led the song, "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

The following had a part on the program—

"Who Started That Fire," by Sue Whitt.

"90 Percent of all Farm Fires Start That Way," by Brenda Dehart.

"Facing the Problem," by John Lewis.

"Aids For Our Fire Fighting," by Alan Hemphill.

"Home Equipment for Fighting Fires," by Patsy Whitt.

We played the game of naming famous men, then turned the meeting over to Mr. Dixon.

Want Ads are the best value for your advertising dollar!

Crippled Morgan Girl Overjoyed By Pen Pal's Gift of Steel Braces

Victim of Childhood Disease Will Throw Away Wood Braces

By HELEN PRICE STACY

After wearing a leg brace of handmade wood splints wrapped in bed ticking for more than 33 years, a Morgan county girl finds she is "so happy I could shout" at the prospect of getting a factory made brace through the generosity of a benefactor who wishes to remain anonymous.

"On March 22nd," said Miss Carol Carpenter of Kellacey, Morgan county, "I received a letter from Martins Ferry, Ohio with two money orders totaling a hundred and fifty dollars. The sender explained that the money was to be used to buy a leg brace and his name was not to be mentioned. The writer told me to just consider it a gift from the Lord, and that is how I feel about it."

How did a kind-hearted person in the Ohio River town of Martins Ferry hear about Carol's need for a brace?

Since she was a teen-ager, she has written letters to "pen-pal" columns in various publications, "because I like to write letters and make friends." Last October she wrote such a letter to Young People's Delight, publication of the Union Gospel Press, Cleveland, Ohio. The editor was so touched by Carol's letter and her request for pen pals that he gave the letter a prominent place in his paper and also included her address.

"Now I know that people other than young people read that paper," laughed Carol, "because the writer from Martins Ferry said he was past seventy."

The letter was not a sob-letter, as such go, but was a statement of facts.

The daughter of Mrs. Sallie Mays of Keilacey, and the late V. C. Carpenter, Carol was a normal, healthy child until she was 2½ years old when she was stricken with polio or some rare bone disease. The aftermath was that the bone in her right leg was so diseased that it separated, allowing the upper portion to overlap the lower part about half way between her knee and ankle. Other bones in her body refused to knit properly, leaving her of diminutive stature, but, nevertheless, big in spirit and heart.

She did not walk again until she was eight and then only at times. Not until she was fourteen was she able to walk without crutches or a cane, but even then she still had to wear ten long pieces of wood about an inch wide, wrapped in ticking, to give her support to walk.

Carol's father died when she was seven, but she attributes her love for books and learning to him. "He was an elder in the Baptist church and taught 17 terms of school," she said.

Carol was born in Morgan county near Dan. When she was four weeks old, her family moved to Zag, and at eight years they moved to Blaze. She enrolled in Big Lick school, Boyd Blair, teacher, and finished eight grades without missing a day of school. "I was lucky," Carol explained, "for we lived only a hundred yards or so from the schoolbuilding. If I did not feel well or the weatehr was bad, my mother or step-father would carry me to school."

When Carol realized she would never run and play as did the other children, she lost herself in books and read everything she could get her hands on.

Ten years after completion of grade school, Carol acquired two credits in a mail study course, Evangelistic Teachers Training, and a child study course, from a Bible institution. She was greatly encouraged in this, she said, by Rev. John Heykoop, evangelist in Morgan county. It was after trying her hand at higher learning and 17 years after completing grade school that she decided to try high school and enrolled at Ezel High. She completed her freshman year and was an honor student.

Through her church and school friends, Carol's love for books was made known to outsiders. Before long she was receiving books from people in various parts of the United States. Then she conceived the idea of sharing her books with others, and began book-collecting in earnest to begin a small community "library in the hills." To date she has received almost 300 volumes for the library project. These books, she explained, are stacked in a room awaiting that day when she has funds to build shelves for them.

Carol writes poetry and has contributed poems to the Courier's Mountain Muses column; she is also a news correspondent for the Courier, and takes interest in church and Sunday school work, in addition to exchanging letters with a number of pen pals.

Carol did not explain all this in her letter which was published in Young People's Delight, but stated that her childhood disease left her handicapped, making it necesary for her to wear a brace, and in her case a handmade one. She asked for penpals.

No one was more surprised than Carol when an answer to that pen-pal request brought two money orders totaling $150.00 to be used for a leg brace.

"At the post office they told me I almost shouted when I read the letter," she said. "I guess I cried a little too."

It has been less than ten days since she received the letter, but Carol has already been to Lexington where measurements for a brace were made at the Lexington Brace Shop.

"I'm going to Lexington within a few days to get the brace," she said, "and then I would like to get a job. The splints had to be rewrapped in the bed ticking every day and then placed on my leg and some one had to do this for me. But I can manage the new brace myself."

Maytown OES Elects Associate Conductress

Maytown chapter, O.E.S., held a regular meeting Friday night and had as visitors Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Monk and daughter Jacqueline, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Williams and Mrs. Greta Wynn, members of Frenchburg chapter U. D. of Frenchburg.

The chapter was granted a special dispensation to elect and install an associate conductress and Sylvia Bowman was elected and installed.

The chapter is sponsoring a Stanley party on Wednesday afternoon, April 7 at 1 o'clock at the lodge hall at Maytown and the public is invited. The members are asked to bring a few cookies.

The worthy matron would like to have all officers and as many members as possible present at the next regular meeting April 9 as the inspection of the chapter will be on May 11 and plans are to be made regarding the inspection.

Senator Stacy Honored Saturday On Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stacy entertained with a birthday dinner at the Cole Hotel Saturday evening, honoring Senator C. K. Stacy on his birthday anniversary. A sumptous chicken dinner was served to Senator and Mrs. C. K. Stacy, State Banking Commissioner and Mrs. Henry H. Carter, Dr. Charles B. Stacy of Pineville, Custer Jones, Earl W. Kinner and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stacy.

FELLOWSHIP HOUR SET

The West Liberty Christian Church will hold a fellowship hour after evening services Sunday. Each woman is asked to bring a pie. Tea and coffee will be furnished. All members and friends of the church are invited to attend evening services at 7 p.m. and the fellowship hour which will follow immediately after.

AT HAZARD MEET

Rev. and Mrs. Penniston were in Hazard Thursday, April 1, as dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Franklin McGuire. Later Rev. Penniston met with members of the executive committee of the 14th Dist. of Christian Churches. Rev. Penniston served as president of this area the past two years.

PENNISTON AT MEETING

Rev. Fred Penniston was a luncheon guest of Transylvania College at Lexington last Monday. This was a meeting of ministers from the Eastern section of Kentucky outlining the Transylvania Development Program to be inaugurated during this 175th Anniversary year. A special convocation will open the program on April 23. President Eisenhower will be the principal speaker.

Mrs. Penniston and children accompanied Rev. Penniston to Lexington. They were luncheon guests of Mrs. Orville Skeen, wife of the State Evangelist of Christian churches.

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Around The Family Circle

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WHAT CONSTITUTES A WINNER?

I received an interesting letter from a young student recently, in which he told me something about his battles and his problems that he had been having and of his goal that had been set.



While I read that I saw many things in that road that I had been acquainted with and I wished very sincerely that I could do more to help him. He concluded the letter by saying something like this, "I believe if I will put all I have into it with faith in God that I will win." I was very happy to hear that kind of philosophy and that approach to life by a young man. I am sure he is not alone because there are a lot of others that have that same faith and that same attitude towards this problem of really living. But whatever else we work at there is one thing that we are wanting to do most of all and that is to win in this course of life. All of us have won some things; no doubt we have gained certain victories and reached certain goals and when we had attained them we were not satisfied very long because there were other things that we wanted to do and we set out to do them. That is the way things go in life; we just keep on going from one mountaintop to another and that keeps life interesting.

When you set out to win something, and you have successfully won it as far as time is concerned, that is a part of this whole victory and not all of it. There is nothing that you can attain in this life, there is no victory that you can win, as far as history and your life is concerned, that is not temporary. So, it does not please us just to be winning temporary victories, I am sure. In order to go on in this course that we really should go I want to suggest to you just three things. They are familiar and something that you have heard but it would not hurt us to refresh our minds with them again. The first things is, if you look at life as it really is and you are not fooling yourself about it you will admit, or you ought to admit, that you need help in running this race and in winning in life. There is no one who has any judgment that does not realize that he is not sufficient in himself and he cannot brag about his strength and ability without fooling himself. You need that help from different sources of course. You need it from your friends, maybe your family, some institutions or organizations might be willing to help you but whatever else you may have remember that above all you need God's help. Now that is not getting into the mystical to a point of silliness. Everybody knows that you cannot express yourself without God's help. You cannot get enough oxygen to keep you alive nor enough energy to use your vocal cords without realizing that all of that strength must come from sources over which you have no control. So, admit it.

Then in that relationship to it it is one of the finest things in the world to have this kind of an attitude and that is just simply believe that you are going to receive help. Now that means that you are going to believe in your friends and you believe they will help you when it is necessary. You are going to believe in your neighbors and that they in time of need are going to respond and help you and that in the event you needed it there are certain organizations and institutions that would help you, schools and institutions that have been organized to help promote people who need it. That means that you believe in them, and that above all you believe in God who gave you all of them; that you believe He will help, that He is a God who understands and that He is not hidden away but is conscious of your needs and is interested in what you want. That is an important matter if we are going to run the race to victory.

Another thing that is good, and there are a lot of folk who do not know how to do it, and that is accept help when it comes. I remember as a boy when I was having an awful battle to gain what I wanted and what I thought was good for me and that was an education. I never did get all of it I wanted, never have, never will, but I had a friend along that journey who tried to keep me from gaining this and instead of inspiring and boosting me he tried to make me feel ashamed of the battle that I was fighting and to show me the foolishness of trying to run this race. He did make it hard for me. There were times when he made me feel very badly, but while I had this one person that I shall never forget who made it difficult for me I had scores of them who gave me a boost and encouraged me and now and then would do something that I never dreamed would be done and I went on. I used it and I thank God that I did and I did not listen to the person who tried to discourage me.

In this journey of making what we want to do I would like to tell you this—do not make up your mind that you know exactly what you want and if you do not get just that you have lost. That is a mistake on the part of many of us because we just do not always know what is really a victory anyway. We may set out to win something and it may be the worst defeat in the world that would come to us if we win that because it is not worth it. In this winning it is sometimes defeat that is victory. There was a young man thirty-three years old who lived once, a young man who walked uprightly and lived a clean life, a noble life, and He came down to a time when He was being tested as to the race that He had accepted and was running; He was challenged by kings, He was opposed by nations. On one occasion a king sent Him word that he wanted Him to get out of the country and He replied that He was not quite ready to do it. Then another day He walked out into the presence of one of the leading powers of the day and this man said, "Do you know that I have power to kill you or to keep you alive"? and this young man said, "You do not have any power except as God gives it to you. Remember that." But He went on fighting in that same way. One day His friends stood at a distance and saw Him between two men nailed to an old rugged cross and it looked like the most complete defeat that could ever come to man. Nobody could look at that and not think that he had been a loser, a loser for good, but it was not long that the world found out that it was not a loss; that really it was the winning battle that conquered things that were not dreamed of by mankind. No, sometimes we want something that we just ought not to have and sometimes a thing that we get defeated in us a thing that will be victory for us.

Some people want to win in attaining a certain profession and do not do it and it turns out that it is the best thing in the world that they did not. I remember reading about a man who was a little older than the one I mentioned who was in a little old room where they had been hired to keep him and they came up with an old Roman ax one day and said, "We are going to take you out of here and outside the city and do something to you." They did cut his head off and it did look like he had just simply fought and lost but Paul did not lose. He was not a loser because they chopped his head off. The fact is he won through that. The reason is he was on the right road, he needed help from God, he sought it and when it came he used it; he used it wherever he went. It did not matter what course he was living, whether he was out on the sea floating a day and night or whether he was in a dream hearing a missionary call to another land. It did not matter where, he was simply doing it in that fashion. You cannot defeat a man like that.

I want to say to the boys and girls, the men and the women, those who are having an awful struggle, and there are so many who are, just be sure that you are standing before God in your place, humbly acknowledging that you need His help and appreciating the help of your fellows and then believing that you are going to receive it both from God and man. Then when they try to help you, when God comes in mysterious ways and performs His wonders, and when a glad hand reaches out to help you, use it sincerely as the gift of God. When your fellowman hands you something to use to win this battle use it for that and do not abuse that honor that they have bestowed upon you and the trust that they placed in you.

What constitutes a winner? One who has laid hold upon something valuable, set out in the right direction, found the right resources, accepted them as they have come and used them to their fullest. You cannot defeat that kind of soul.



It may be later than you think . . . not quite time for posing in a bathing suit perhaps, but time to be planning your vacation. Even Mr. Groundhog stayed out long enough to enjoy the lovely Kentucky scenery shown above.

LONG BRANCH
(By Mrs. Clyde Cantrell)

March 30—Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cantrell were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bolin, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell, Lafe Elam of Florress, Mr. and Mrs. John Conley of Long Branch, Dorsie and William Cantrell of California.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bailey of Long Branch have moved to Michigan.

Nell and Nettie Cantrell, Norma Skaggs, Frank Cantrell, Charlie Rowland and George Smith attended church at Martha Saturday night.

Miss Norma Skaggs was a Saturday night guest of Nell and Nettie Cantrell.

Mrs. Clyde Cantrell and Nell and Richard Bolin visited at Mima and Relief Sunday.

Miss Glady Donahue of Morehead spent Friday night with Nell and Nettie Cantrell. She was accompanied home Saturday afternoon by Nell and Nettie Cantrell, Charlie Rowland, Frank Cantrell and George Smith.

Several people of Long Branch attended the funeral of Ambrose Bolin of Dingus.

Enoch McKenzie and Mrs. Ace Elam visited Mr. McKenzie's sister of Relief.

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Litterall visited Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lura Ison of Elamton.

ELAMTON
(By Mary K. Williams)

A surprise birthday supper was given Saturday night in honor of W. H. Williams who was 64 years old, and his granddaughter, Diana Lee Honchul, age six. Attending were Mrs. Ray Williams, Mrs. Delbert Honchul and family, Arsula, Mary K. and Woodrow Williams, Dorothy Williams, Henry Ray Perkins.

Mrs. Ray Williams is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Mary K. and Woodrow Williams were calling on Mrs. Delbert Honchul and Dorothy Williams of West Liberty Thursday night.

Leonard Pack of Piqua, Ohio, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pack.

Mrs. Delbert Honchul and family spent Saturday night with her father, W. H. Williams.

Several attended the shooting match held at Ova C. Maxey's Sunday.

ELAMTON
(By Mrs. Hager Hamilton)

March 29—Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pelfrey Sunday were Miss Imogene Pelfrey of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Craft and daughter of Mt. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. Ora McClain and sons of West Liberty.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon McClain is just getting over the measles.

Debra Hamilton has been sick a few days with mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hamilton of Malone spent a week end with the Hager and Howard Hamilton families.

Addie Lewis of Indiana has been visiting with Bee Pelfrey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pelfrey and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pelfrey, also Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pelfrey of Florress.

Bee Pelfrey is having some concrete work done around his house.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Craft of West Liberty were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ova Maxey Sunday.

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CUSTER JONES TAUGHT LICK FORK SCHOOL AT POMP IN 1899



FIRST ROW (seated) left to right—Annie Perry, W. S. (Bum) Cox, Roy Lewis, Charlie Henry, Emma Henry, Victoria Lewis, Dave Dyer, Russell Cox, Ben Cox, Anna Belle Gross, Zetta Gross. SECOND ROW—Belle Gose and baby, Nannie Gose, Maude Caskey, Mollie Caskey, Rose Henry, Maude Lewis, Annie Francis Dyer, Prater Caskey, Willie J. Henry, Ollie F. Henry, Stuart Kendall, James Harry McClure, Grover McClure, Frank Fannin. BACK ROW—Lou Caskey and baby, Elizabeth Caskey, Polly Gose, Myrtle Caskey, Ettola Jenia, Dora McClure, Katie Lewis, Tom Henry Moore, Florence Fannin, Hester Moore, Isa Mae Caskey, Walter (Pomp) Caskey, Willie Fannin, John M. Perry, Custer Jones, teacher.

The pupils, teacher and a few citizens of the Lick Fork school district at Pomp in 1899 are shown in this old photograph loaned to The Courier by Custer Jones, the teacher there that year.

The Lick Fork school building stood near where Rhett Brown's store now stands at Pomp on Ky. 7.

The mule shown in the photo belonged to Roy Lewis, a pupil who rode to school that day. John Perry, one of the citizens of the district shown in the photo, was Sheriff of Morgan county and was the father of Henry Perry of West Liberty who later also became Sheriff of Morgan.

In commenting upon his experiences as a teacher, Mr. Jones said this was the third school he taught in Morgan county and that he saved $135 that term from his salary of $33 a month and used it to go into the mercantile business in partnership with Harry Jones, his brother, at White Oak.

Mr. Jones taught his first school in 1896 at Vance Fork and his second in 1897 at McClannahan Hill. In 1900, while assisting his brother in the store at White Oak, he remembers business was slow and he took time out to teach the White Oak school that year. After disposing of his interest in the store, he taught at Omer in 1902, this being his last school teaching.

In 1904 he began work as assistant auditor for the O. & K. Railway at Cannel City and two years later became credit manager for the Kentucky Block Cannel Coal Company at Cannel City.

In 1906 he secured a position in the Morgan County National Bank at Cannel City as clerk. Then in May of 1907 he was made cashier of the bank and continued in that position until he was elected president of the bank in 1923. He continued in this position until the bank was liquidated in 1939 due to the closing of the mines at Cannel City and the discontinuance of the O. & K. Railway.

LEISURE STORE
(By Dora Cassity)

March 30—Mrs. Frank Howard of Fairborn, Ohio and Mrs. Ada Sargent of Switzer, W. Va. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cassity.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Carter and Mrs. Milda Carter of Ashland spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Easterling, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Easterling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Blair.

Richard Brown of Wrigley, Sherman of Blairs Mills and Geo. Ellington of Ohio visited Saturday night with J. W. and Dora Cassity.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roberts of Springfield, visited recently Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Roberts.

William Blair of Dayton, Ohio visited recently Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blair and children. Mrs. C. P. Blair who has been confined to her bed for some time with a broken hip, is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Harding and family had their house and practically all their household goods destroyed by fire one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keeton, Minnie Pearl, Lizzie and Charles spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Harding and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Weizel Nelson and children and Paris Nelson of Omar, W. Va. visited recently Mrs. Paris Nelson and children.

STACY FORK
(By Jessie E. Stacy)

March 29—Several folks of this vicinity attended the funeral of Smith Adams Sunday at Caney.

Winston Gullett and Earlie Wages were in town Friday of last week.

Several folks from Caney and this community attended church at Grassy Lick Saturday night.

Mrs. Hayden Ratliff, daughter Billie Jean, and Lena Wray Haney visited Mrs. Lizzie Dunn and family of Mt. Sterling and did some shopping in Lexington recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Haney visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Haney, last week end.

Mrs. Wiley Wages who had pneumonia is improving.

IN MEMORY

of our father and husband

Four years ago today, March 30, our dear father and husband passed away. How we miss his loving face, his tender smile and sweet embrace. He's gone to rest for ever more to be with Jesus on the eternal shore.—Mrs. Kate Elam and Children.

REVIVAL SERVICE

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Mrs. John Adkins, Pianist

ALLIE YOUNG CITY PROPERTY IS SOLD

MOREHEAD, Ky., March 20—Business and residential property here, sold at auction today to settle the estate of the late Sen. Allie Young, brought a total of more than $171,000.

The property now occupied by the Lane funeral home on Main street was sold to Roger Caudill for $57,550, and the property containing a brick building used to house the Greyhound bus station and a restaurant, also on Main street, went to Mrs. Cordelia Ward on a bid of $40,425.

A lot immediately behind the bus station, fronting on Bishop avenue, was bought by William H. Layne for $2,987.

Mrs. Ward also purchased the large frame house and lot on Main street known as the Young homeplace for $25,500, and an adjoining 50-foot lot for $8,050.

Another adjoining lot, also with 50-foot frontage, was bought for $7,550 by D. C. Caudill, who also was the successful bidder for a six-room frame house adjoining that for $14,600.

Several persons paid a total of $15,040 for 15 buildings lot with 25-foot frontages on Bradley avenue to the rear of the Young homeplace.

The sale, which also included the auction of personal property, was handled by George Scott, Jr. of Lexington.

Last month the Young farm near Morehead was sold for $55,000, making the sale of the estate total $220,000.

The Young estate will be divided among Young and Mrs. Harold Holbrook, both of Morehead, Mrs. Evelyn McGruder of Lexington and Major Camden Young, stationed with the Army in Germany.

Morgan Countians At PIKEVILLE
(By Mrs. Minnie Hamilton)

March 29—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamilton and Mrs. Press Rice of Mossy Bottom spent the week end with their daughters, Mrs. Pete Compton and Mrs. John R. Moore, both of Price.

Mrs. Dorn Hamilton of Weddington Branch, who underwent a serious operation at the Methodist Hospital here at Pikeville two weeks ago, is with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Shag Elam and is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hamilton and Roy Hamilton spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Hamilton at West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Owens are proud parents of a son, Berry Raymond, born at Methodist Hospital last Saturday night. The mother is the daughter of Mrs. Wall Conley of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Meade of this place were Sunday dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams of Cow Pen.

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The Morgan Sisters, Mary and Dolores and Nancy, who are heard singing regularly on WLW's "Midwestern Hayride" (Saturdays, 6:30 p. m., EST) have cut a new recording of "Pine Tree, Pine over Me" with "Lowdown Hoe Down" on the flip side

REVIVAL CLOSES

The revival that had been in progress at the Church of God here closed last week with several conversions and much interest. The church felt spiritually enriched during the entire meeting.

CANNEL CITY
(By Magdalene W. Phipps)

March 22—Mrs. W. E. Bach of Lexington had coffee one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Richardson. Also a guest at the Richardson home was Mrs. Clyde Wells of Morehead.

Henry Allen Vance of Ft. Knox is visiting his folks here a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fallen and Laverne spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Thompson of Helechawa.

Thos. Richardson spent one day last week on business in Huntington.

Lois Phipps of Trotwood, Ohio, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phipps.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Wells and girls of Ashland spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peyton of Ohio were visiting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wells.

Mrs. Frances Wells and Miriam Whitaker took Jackie and Butch Tackett to Morehead Saturday for a checkup.

Mr .and Mrs .Donnie Patrick and Sharon took Jackie and Butch Tackett to Morehead Saturday for a checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Patrick and Sharon spent Sunday with their son Andy at Frenchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wells and children spent part of last week with their folk in Middletown and other parts of Ohio.

Mrs. James DeBorde and girls spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Nickell of Keaton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Phipps of Payton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Phipps and family.

Wardie Easterling is on the sick list.

Your correspondent was sorry to hear of the deaths of Matt Amyx and Algon McCarty last week.

Mrs. Bryan Haney spent Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dorsie Lykins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Whitt and family of Malone spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whit.

The little boy of Junior Nickell who was hit by a car a few weeks ago is doing very well.

Mrs. Ben Perkins of Payton, Mrs. Mabel Crase of Belknap and Elvin Perkins of Indiana were all calling on Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Richardson Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Sam Osborne set a birthday dinner for her son, Fred who was 23 years of age. He is stationed in California. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Osborne, Cpl. and Mrs. Fred Osborne, Mrs. Richard Elam and children of Detroit, Mich., Joyce Osborne and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Osborne. Fred returns to camp next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hayes of Lexington were Tuesday guests of his sister, Mrs. Clyde Cottle.

The Woman's Club of Menifee county sponsored a contest of the high school at Frenchburg. Andy Patrick won first prize. His theme was "What America Means to Me." He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Perkins and son of Dayton, Ohio were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Vance.

Mary L. Wheeler spent Monday with her brother John W. Elam and Mrs. Elam.

A Want Ad placed in the Courier will bring quick results.

FLORRESS
(By Nora Easterling)

March 22—T. H. Johnson who is now past 84 years of age and still very ill. Visitors to see him Thursday were Mrs. John Helton and Mrs. Oscar Caskey of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Osa Phipps had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Mullins of Elamton, Mrs. Addia Haney of South Bend, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tom Easterling and children of Cottle and Susan Pelfrey and Osa, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Williams and Leova of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cottle are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Short and children of Allock were week end guests of Mrs. Nan Williams and attended church at Jones Creek.

Hope Gail Short of Allock spent Saturday night with Bonnie and Linda Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Haney of Dayton, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Haney and attended the revival of Martha church.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Shipley of Whitman, W. Va. are visiting their mother, Aunt Nannie Williams, and Rev. Shipley is holding a revival at Jones Creek.

Rev. Walter Easterling attended church at Zag Saturday and Sunday.

Your writer visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson Saturday. Rev. Johnson has been ill, but is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ferguson and children of Index were last Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Conley.

Paul B. Franklin who has been in the U. S. Navy in Maryland since December visited in our community one day last week.

James P. Johnson of Cow Branch was visiting here in Honeymoon Hollar March 2 with Mr. and Mrs. James C. Conley and Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Easterling.

Mrs. Susan Phipps went to a doctor in Paintsville one day last week.

Steward Johnson and son Scottie of West Liberty recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Conley and Aquilla.

Rev. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell, Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Nickell, Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Williams and Leova, Bonnie and Sue Haney attended church at Jones Creek Sunday night.

Henry Collins of Jones Creek was in our community Sunday.

More calls for Florress news and another subscription to the Courier for the Florress news has been reported. Your writer has been slightly on the sick list. Will do my best to keep the news going to the Courier office. I wish to thank those who keep writing for Florress news.

OMER
(By Mrs. G. Lawson)

March 28—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rose and Barbara of Middletown were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lawson and purchased a new Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roark of Lancaster were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McKinney and Harold of Kellacey were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Brucie Adams and son Larry and Lenville of Dan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Henry.

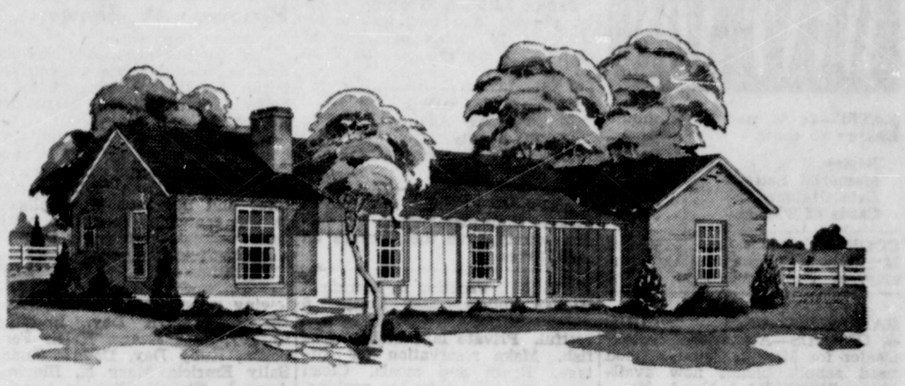
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Estill Manning were shopping in Mt. Sterling Wednesday.

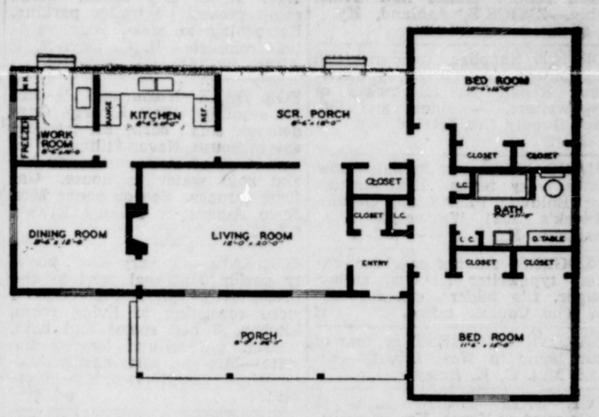
Hershell Roe of Middletown, O. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roe.

REVIVAL AT CENTERVILLE

Leslie Gevedon, Clyde Perry and W. H. Wells will begin a revival at Centerville on Saturday night, April 3 at 7 o'clock. The Revs. Gevedon and Perry are well-known evangelists in this area. Rev. Wells will lead the singing. Everyone is invited.

Morgan County Farm Home of the Week





LOVELY TO LOOK AT EASY TO LIVE IN

Here is a ranch house that will look good in the country or in town. To add to the original beauty, we suggest you place it among some nice trees; if this is not possible, provide plenty of green shrubbery.

The house was designed for just such a setting in green, with red brick veneer walls and white boards and batten on the porches. Although it is designed for brick veneer, 4-inch concrete block veneer or ordinary wood siding will look good.

In addition to the outside attractiveness of the house, the interior arrangement is designed for the utmost comfort in living. The kitchen-work room combination is arranged so there will be a minimum of effort in preparing meals and preserving food. At the same time, the work room provides an excellent place for a home freezer, washing machine, water heater and work-clothes closet.

One glance at the floor plan and you'll be impressed with the abundance of always needed storage space. The screened porch on the back could easily be glassed-in to make an ideal everyday living room or a delightful place to serve the family meals both summer and winter.

You can obtain blueprints for this FARM & RANCH House Plan No. 4809 and a handy list of materials by which you can figure your construction cost accurately. Send $1 to Building Editor, FARM & RANCH, Nashville 1, Tenn. Order by number, Plan No. 4809. Blueprints are adequate for any farm carpenter or for any farmer handy with tools.

County Homemakers Council Met Mar. 13

Morgan Homemakers Council meeting was held in the West Liberty Christian church March 23, Mrs. Harold Rose presiding.

Progress report and 4-H report was given by Miss Stevens, also the report on progress in farm and home development program.

Discussion of program for the new year was led by Miss Stevens and Mrs. White.

Plans were discussed for National Home Demonstration Week May 2-8. It was decided that each club put on an exhibit of its own. Mrs. White stressed the point that it is the little things we do that help make the big things and that every Homemaker must remember she is an important part and that her little exhibits help make the national exhibits.

Mrs. White also explained the Myrtle Weldon fund that enables girls who wish to become home ec majors to get help through college.

Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Bishop Benton are voting delegates to the district meeting at Morehead April 26.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. White, Miss Stevens, Mrs. Harold Rose, Mrs. Dorsey Ingram, Mrs. Elie McGuire, Mrs. John Easterling, Mrs. Hayden Ratliff and Mrs. Bishop Benton, Mrs. Noah Elam.

WAR CREEK
(By Mamie Tyree)

March 29—Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Pelfrey and children of Dayton, Ohio, visited here the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Williams and children and Mrs. Laura Williams of Florress were callers on Mrs. Mamie Tyree here Sunday.

Gerald Tyree and Wayne Tyree went to West Liberty Sunday and were accompanied by Norman Sheets to Corbin.

The citizens of this community are sure proud to get work done on their road.

Mrs. Mae Williams and Desmond of Florress spent Monday here with her mother.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cottle and Jean Sunday were Mr. Archie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams and Cathie of Florress and Mrs. Elsie Tyree, Sylvia and Nila.

Sales Report Of The Farmers Stock Yards At Flemingsburg, Ky.

March 27, 1954—

HOGS — Packers 26.50; Sows 22.60 to 24.50; Sows and Pigs 80.00 to 175.00; Shoats 10.00 to 25.75.

CATTLE — Baby Beeves 14.50 to 18.30; Cutter Cows 6.80 to 8.00; Fat Cows 9.30 to 14.30; Springers, Fresh Cows 37.00 to 104.00; Bulls 12.50 to 13.40; Stock Steers 14.90 to 19.45; Cows and Calves 73.00 to 149.00; Stock Bulls 60.00 to 145.00; Stockers 17.00 to 115.00.

SHEEP & LAMBS — Medium 25.00.

CALVES — Top Veals 24.45; Medium 22.80 to 23.00; Common and Large 16.40 to 23.00.

Film On Athletic Injuries Scheduled

A motion picture in color on "Athletic Injuries — Their Prevention and Care," with head trainers of leading universities in all parts of the country demonstrating their skills, will be shown to coaches, trainers and members of athletic teams at Ezel school on Thursday, April 8.

Five top trainers reveal some of their secrets and techniques that help keep their teams at peak physical condition by preventing injuries in college sports.

Notice To All Who Have Not Paid Their Taxes

Notice to all property owners in Morgan county who have not paid their taxes for 1953 that the property will be advertised in the local newspaper April 15, 22 and 29 and the property will be sold at the court house door on May 3, 1954 on all not paid.

AARON LYKINS, Sheriff
Morgan County
3-25-2t

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COOK BOOKS FOR SALE.See Mrs. Major Gardner, West Liberty, or Guild members. tf

FOR SALE
BALDWIN PIANOS — SPINETS & GRANDS—Authorized Factory Dealer for Morgan County. Good used rebuilt pianos now available.—ZWICK'S, Ashland, Ky.
8-27-tf

OFFICE Supplies, furniture and equipment. New Royal typewriters. Repair on all makes of typewriters. — Home and Office Supply Co., Hazard, Ky.
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LEDGERS, Adding machine paper, typewriter ribbons, carbon paper, file folders, etc. for sale at The Courier office. tf

GARDEN FOR RENT at rear of our home in West Liberty—Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy. tf

FOR SALE—60-acre farm, ¼ mile west of Korea, Ky. on gravel road ¼ mile of grade school. New small house, new 32x40 barn, just finished.—Jeweldeen Craft, 200 East High St., Mt. Sterling, Ky.
3-25-3tpdC

FOR RENT—One 5-room house and one 4-room house in West Liberty. Also some furniture for sale. See Mrs. Jas. F. Wheeler at Colvin property. 3-25ft

ATTENTION SAW MILL OPERATORS—2 factory reconditioned Saws specially priced. HOE SAWS and supplies. Mail orders appreciated.—H. W. Bussey, Busseyville P. O., Louisa, Ky.
3-25-4t C & N

PAPERHANGING—If it's paper hanging you're waiting for, why wait? See or write Willie Junior Elam, Florress, Ky.—experienced hand. Or see or call C. C. Elam, West Liberty, Ky. 3-18-4tpd

FOR SALE—72-acre farm in northern Adams county, Ohio. Half bottom land. 8/10-acre tobacco base, good 6-room home, 2 barns and other buildings, woven wire fences. On gravel road, ¼ mile from State highway with bus route, school and mail route. Price $7,500. Rev. H. C. Haines, Ezel. 3-25-2tpd

WANTED—Girl to care for two children while mother works. See Mrs. Harry Johnson, 263 Water St. 3-25-2tpd

WET PLOWING
James Litteral, Greenup county, plowed land that was under three to 18 inches of water at this season for the past 18 to 20 years.

PRODUCTIVE SOWS
Mrs. James Adams & Sons, Madison county, have 66 pigs farrowed by six sows. One Tamworth sow had 14.

All of the 15 Piney Road Hofemakers Club members in Crittenden county have their names on mail boxes.

WHY NOT Vacation in Florida at Hidden Hollow Lake? Located 6 miles south of Cypress. Quiet and restful. Private lake full of fine fish. Make reservation for cottage. Room and meals. Clean camp ground or trailer parking. Everything to make your vacation complete.—R. C. Day, R. 1, Altha, Florida. 1tpd

FOR SALE—Home and ½-acre lot adjoining West Liberty. Garden and small barn. Electric and gas in house. Never-failing drilled well with electric pump and hot and cold water in house. Gas floor furnace. See or phone Mrs. Jesse Adams at Stanley Ryan's.
4-1-tf

FOR SALE—Grocery store, beauty parlor, and coal yard in one place, living quarters in back of store consisting of living room, kitchen, 2 bed rooms and bath. Reason for selling: leaving the state.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter, North Middletown, Ky. Phone 2491. 4-1-3t

$25 REWARD for return of man's billfold containing $153 in bills, drivers license and insurance card.—Bruce Fairchild, West Liberty. 1tpd

WANTED—Man and small family with one or two sons to work. Good pay. Brick house, electricity, water at door. In sight of fine consolidated school, in Bourbon county. Write or see E. K. Thomas, Paris, Ky., or Bernard E. Whitt at Courier office.

Excellent opportunity for man or woman to call on farmers in E. Morgan county. Some making over $50 a day. Full or part time. Write or wire for free proposition. McNESS COMPANY, Dept. A ,Freeport, Ill. 4-1-2tpd

Send me your snapshots, cards, etc. I'll cover anything in print with crystal clear parafilm that should last a lifetime, 25c each. BERNARD HAGER, 306 W. Warren St., Lebanon, Ohio. 1tpd

FOR SALE—Five-room house and 3½ lot joining West Liberty. New drilled well. Also new wood and coal range.—See Mrs. Maude Rudd. 3-25-2tpd

20% SUPERPHOSPHATE, $31.00 per ton. H. T. Roberts, Frenchburg, Ky. 3/25/tf

SINGER SEWING Machine for Sale. Good condition. See Mrs. E. B. Cottle, West Liberty. 3-18-tf

Mrs. Eugene Osborne Honored At Shower

The Girls Society of Christian Service honored Mrs. Eugene Osborne Monday evening, with a bride's shower at the Methodist church.

Sally Emrick assisted Mrs. Osborne in opening her gifts which were arranged on a table covered with a white linen cloth. Easter lilies and narcissus were placed in the center of the table, with yellow streamers framing the arrangement of flowers.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to the following guests: Ethel Rudd, Ollie Nickell, Evelyn Day, Imogene Caskey, Lois Evans, Helen Ferguson, Ruby Day, Deloris Rudd, Sally Emrick, Mary K. Blevins, Anna L. Nickell, Virginia Longabaugh, Sandy May, Anna Jean Allen, Wilda Preston, Henrietta May, Loretta May, Mrs. Earl May and Mrs. Virgil Lewis.

Those sending gifts were Marta Potter, Carolyn Gabbard, Carolyn Ray, Bonnie Smith, Janice Halsey, Norma Dean Lacy, Peggy Evans, Yvonne Evans, Anna Ruth May, Mary E. May.

TALENT SHOW

(Continued from page 1)

Peddlar Gap-Coffee Creek—Lazy John skit.

Floyd County—Piano solo by Miss Reba Joyce Salyers, song by a trio.

Magoffin County—A reading by Miss Sue Conley.

Wrigley—Duet by Brenda Dehart and Seyola Click.

Johnson County—A quartet.

Wrigley—Duet by Sue and Patsy Whitt.

Ezel—Song by a sextette, Ricochet; group song, Changing Partners.

Wrigley—Stunt, Down by the Old Mill Stream, five boys.

Malone—Solo by Doris Steele.

Magoffin—Solo by Sue Conley.

Wirgley—Duet by Audra Whitt and Linda Lou Vie.

Licking River—A comedy act by Arvilla, Betty and Jimmie Wells.

The 4-H Council, sponsors of the show, are extremely proud of the local 4-H leaders and their members. They also want to thank all those who participated in the amateur contest and who helped with the king and queen contest. They are extremely grateful to Ellis Boggs, county agent of Floyd county, who was master of ceremonies and recorded the program for broadcast over WPRT. Their sincere thanks go to Mr. King and Miss Click for judging the contest, to Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Floyd county, the Conley sisters of Magoffin county and Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Christian of Johnson county and their 4-H members for their important contributions to the program.

On the county level, their sincere thanks go to Supt. Carl Stewart and the bus drivers for the most helpful transportation service. Members of the Council and local leaders did a commendable job. Mrs. Mildred McLain and Mrs. Clay Walton and 4-H members, who helped Miss Ann Stevens and Mrs. Dorsie Franklin, had the stage decorated beautifully. Mrs. Major Gardner, Mrs. Estill Steele and Rev. Raymond Hemphill did a smooth arrangement of the King and Queen contest with a very attractive throne setting. Estill Steele and C. S. Jackson were efficient ticket takers. Estill also helped secure the prizes. Bernard Whitt arranged the lights and equipment.

Mrs. Victor Conley and Mrs. Hemphill served as treasurers in checking the advanced ticket sales and king and queen contest receipts. Victor Conley and Mrs. Orpha Hamilton took care of the entries in the amateur contest and fun fest. Major Gardner was most helpful in the important post of program director. Gobel Ratliff, council chairman, was chairman for the night and his usual inspirational leader.

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BARKLEY RETURNS TO POLITICAL WARS

PADUCAH, Ky., March 29—Former Vice President Alben W. Barkley has returned to the political wars at age 76, seeking his old seat in the United States Senate where for years he was the Democratic leader.

Often called "Mr. Democrat," Barkley announced from his home here Saturday his candidacy for the post held by Sen. John Sherman Cooper, the biggest vote getter among Kentucky Republicans of modern times in this normally Democratic state. Cooper is the first GOP senator elected from Kentucky since the mid-30's.

The 53-year-old Cooper, who announced his candidacy for re-election before the end of last year, commented at Lexington after Barkley's announcement.

"As always, I'm in the race to win."

Barkley, known for years as the "iron man" of Kentucky campaigning because of his many speeches, toured 36 of the 48 states in behalf of the Truman-Barkley ticket in 1948.

Only Defeated Once

The "Veep" has suffered defeat at the polls only once in a political career extending back to 1905. That was in 1923 when he lost the Democratic nomination for governor. His bid for the Democratic presidential nomination was unsuccessful at the Chicago convention in 1952.

Cooper's problem, won't be so much issues, as such, but the fact Kentucky normally elects Democrats.

The battle will array forces of Democratic Gov. Lawrence W. Wetherby's administration, backing Barkley, against those of President Eisenhower's administration, who consider Cooper one of their ablest senators.

Though Wetherby administration men are against the gubernatorial candidacy of A. B. Happy Chandler, former governor, U. S. senator and baseball commission, they'll be together in supporting Barkley.

For Chandler, who already has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for governor in 1955, has said frequently he's for Barkley for the Senate.

Wetherby cannot succeed himself as governor under the State Constitution. Politicians had said they expected the state party to call on him to make the Senate race had Barkley decided against running.

Regarded with affection by many Democrats, the veteran Barkley has been making addresses frequently since leaving the vice presidency, both inside and outside Kentucky.

Barkley, who has always considered a sense of humor a vital need in political life, is famed for his quips and jokes and stories about Kentucky life.

His presence on the ticket headed by former President Harry S. Truman in the Democrats' victorious 1948 campaign not only aided it nationally but was credited by many with Cooper's defeat then.

SMITH ADAMS, 73 DIES MARCH 25TH

Smith Adams, 73, died at his home at Caney March 25. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Adams.

Surviving are his widow, Elizabeth Adams; four sons, Woodrow at Omar, W. Va., James, Grover and Henry of Caney; one one daughter, Mrs. Mabel Blevins of Caney.

Funeral services were held at the Craft church at Caney Mar. 28, Rev. Wardie Craft officiating. Arrangements were made by the Potter Funeral Home, with rites at the grave by the Masonic order.

102,000 ARE NOW RECEIVING RELIEF

FRANKFORT, Ky., March 25—More than 102,000 persons in thirty Kentucky counties are now receiving relief aid, Ben S. Adams, Commissioner of Agriculture revealed today.

This assistance is being extended to Kentucky's needy families through the state Agriculture Department's Division of Commodities Distribution cooperating with welfare agencies in the various counties. The Division of Commodities is allocated certain quantities of Commodity Credit Corporation surpluses of cheese, butter, dried milk, canned beef and gravy, dried beans and potatoes. This state agency in turn parcels and dispatches the commodities to the petitioning counties.

Lewis disclosed that the Commodities Division has to date ordered and allocated 25 carloads of the following commodities: cheddar cheese, creamery butter, processed cheese, non fat dry milk solids. Canned beef and gravy, and shortening have also been ordered for the welfare agencies. An order of four carloads of cranberry sauce for schools and institutions is expected to arrive by April 10. He added that the Commodities Division is distributing dried beans to institutions and welfare recipients at the rate of one-half to one pound per person per month. The C.C.C. is now allocating from the 1953 potato crop for distribution to the various relief channels. Rate of distribution in Kentucky is 3 pounds per month for each school child, and 12 pounds per month for each person in state institutions or welfare recipients. This is the first time C.C.C. potatoes have been distributed by the Commodities Division since June 1951.

Weight Control Class To Start Here April 8

The weight control class which is being sponsored by the Morgan County Woman's Club of which Mrs. H. B. Murray is president, will start at the Morgan County Health Dept. office Thursday, April 8 at 8 p.m.

Miss Bety Soughers, Nutrition Consultant of the State Board of Health, will conduct the classes. Mrs. Ruh Conover, Home Economics teacher of Morgan County high school, and Miss Ann Stevens, Home Demonstration agent of Morgan county, will assist Mrs. Soughers.

The topics in the course are as follows:

Lesson 1—Why are you overweight.

Lesson 2—Check your intake.

Lesson 3—Low calorie food demonstration.

Lesson 4—Rewards of normal weight.

There will be no charge. Admission is by application and must be signed by a physician.

Applications may be obtained from the Morgan County Health Department.

FESCUE HELPS OUT

Ky. 31 fescue has helped out in Hancock county, writes UK County Agen Charles L. Goff. "Seed dealers report the sale of large amounts of Ky 31 fescue seed," he sand. "Ky 31 fescue came through the winter and severe drought in much better condition than any other grass. This fact is contributing to the popularity of Ky 31 fescue."

HOMEMAKERS IDENTIFY THEIR MAIL BOXES

The New Castle Hommakers Club in Henry county presented a new sewing machine to the local 4-H club for the use of its members.

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FARMERS!

Shipment of 4 point barbed wire 12½ gauge 80 rod rolls—$6.99 arrived last week and all sold. Another shipment coming in. Barbed wire should be much lower than this price in a few weeks. Coming in beautiful dinnette sets of all sizes and colors, home freezers, chest type and upright, all sizes, refrigerators, washers, automatic washers, clothes dryers, ironers, room air conditioners, hot water heaters, regular garden hoes, steel rakes, weed cutters, potato hooks, repair handles, adjustable window screens, screens, screen doors of different sizes and styles, beautiful electric lamps, towels, 28 gauge roofing, S-V roofing, wall board, nails, field fence, rabbit and poultry wire, galvanized tubs, pails, and buckets. We have many more new lines coming in at still lower prices.

10 lb. Extra Fine Granulated Sugar only ---------- 91c
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100 lb. Extra Fine Granulated Sugar only ---------- $8.93

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"No Room For the Groom"
With
Piper Laurie - Tony Curtis

Friday-Saturday, April 2-3
"The Kid From Broken Gun"
With
Chas. Starrett - Smiley Burnette

Sunday-Monday, April 4-5
"The Stars Are Singing"
Starring Rosemary Clooney

Tuesday-Wednesday, April 6-7
"Back at the Front"
With
Tom Ewell - Harvey Lembeck

Thursday, April 8
"Ivory Hunter"
Technicolor with Anthony Steel